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'Britain's Hidden Hand' In Levant Flare Up

FRENCH PRESS ALLEGATIONS

"Damascus Machine-Gunned From Air"

Eden Heckled In Commons: Tension In Other Parts Of Middle East

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29. (U.P.A.): The Syrian delegation in a report to the United Nations Conference to-day said that Damascus had been shelled by French ground forces and machine-gunned from the air.

It charged that the French fired "indiscriminately" in the streets of Damascus, hitting the home of the British Minister there, among others.

100 Injured: 300 Wounded

BEIRUT, May 29 (U.P.A.): One hundred persons have been killed and three hundred wounded in clashes in Syria so far, according to Adjemil Mardam, acting Syrian Premier.

He described the situation as most grave.

French tanks have been sent to reinforce the French garrison in the Syrian town of Hama and clashes are reported continuing in Homs, which is in the Hama area, where disturbances resulting from the Levant crisis centered.

"Test Case" For New World Order

BEIRUT, May 28 (U.P.A.): Lebanese Foreign Minister Henry Pharon to-day sent a message to the Chairman of the San Francisco Conference asserting that the Syrian-Lebanese question provided a test case for the stand which the Big Powers intend to take in the "new world built on blood, tears and pain."

Arab League Takes Lead

DAMASCUS, May 29: (Reuter): The background of the explosion and firing in Syria to-day was prepared for the Arab League meeting to be held on Monday which will discuss the Levant dispute with France.

Acting Syrian Prime Minister Jamil Mardam Bey to-day received in succession the British Minister in the Levant, Mr. Terence Shone, and the United States Minister Mr. George Wadsworth and remained in permanent contact with representatives of the Arab States. The Lebanese Prime Minister, Abdul Karameh, arrived in Damascus to-day to work out a joint Syrian-Lebanese policy for the coming Arab Conference in Cairo. The meeting of the Syrian Cabinet is scheduled for this afternoon, when news for further diplomatic move is expected.

BRITAIN'S HIDDEN HAND

Without saying so explicitly, the French resistance newspaper, "Combat" clearly implies that the "hidden British hand" is behind the series of Syrian anti-French manifestations, cables Reuter's special correspondent in Paris. "It is safe to assume in this case", he adds "that this section of the press reflects also the view of an important section of the French Cabinet."

It was announced in Cairo that the Egyptian Government has offered its full support to Syria and the Lebanon. Syrian delegates to the Arab League meeting will leave for Cairo on Saturday.

Premier Jamil Madam Bey announcing this said that every decision taken there, such as a rupture of diplomatic relations, will apply equally to all members of the League, which comprises Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Trans-Jordan, Iraq, Syria, Lebanon and Yemen.

Acting Syrian Premier Jamil Mardam Bey said French "provocations" had not altered his country's attitude of refusal to enter into any treaty giving concessions or privileges, adding that "acts of this nature damage the former good name of France."

EDEN HECKLED IN COMMONS

LONDON, May 29 (Reuter): Mr. Eden, Foreign Minister declared in the House of Commons to-day in reply to a question about Syria and the Lebanon, "a serious situation has arisen in Syria. French reinforcements arrived in Beirut about the same time as the French Delegate-General brought French proposals for a final settlement between France and the Levant States.

Mr. Eden said: Considerable popular excitement has been caused and there have been disturbances in Homs and Hama and on a lesser scale in Damascus and Aleppo.

Tension In Other Parts Of Mid-East

There is also some tension in other parts of the Middle East.

The net increase of French troops is very small, about 500 men, but His Majesty's Government have told the French Government of their fear that their arrival may cause regrettable reactions.

The British Brigade to which Maj-Gen. Spears (who had raised the matter) refers, has been in Syria for a short period for routine training and it has no connection with any of these events.

"We are in active consultation about these developments with the French Government and with the U. S. Government which is also closely concerned because the tension in the Middle East is liable to affect one of our lines of communication to the Far East.

PLEA FOR PRUDENCE AND CAUTION.

"I think in the interests of a settlement, it would not be desirable for me to say more than that for the moment. Meanwhile I am sure the House will share with me the hope that all the parties involved in the present discord will behave with caution and prudence.

"It would be inexcusable if developments in Syria or the Lebanon were to create a situation which interfered with the prosecution of the war in the Far East and nothing in the present situation would justify such a development".

Gen. Spears had asked what steps Government were taking to carry out their pledge to maintain the independence of Syria and the Lebanon in view of the recent arrival of French re-inforcements and the withdrawal of the British Brigade.

Gen. Spears further asked: Are the Governments of the two Republics expected to negotiate while "seventy-fives" are firing at their open towns and should not, preliminary to the negotiations, they be withdrawn from the French troops?

Mr. Eden replied: Gen. Spears ought to be in a very good position to realise the delicacy of these matters. (General Spears was formerly the British Minister to Syria and the Lebanon). Our responsibility is to try to the best extent in our power to bring about improvement of the situation between the two Levant States with whom we are friendly and our great Allied friend across the Channel and I am sure I should be doing no service to the cause of amity between the nations if I were to add a single word to what I have said.

Mr. M. P. Price (Labour): Are we making it clear to the French Government that as long as French troops remain in Syria and the Lebanon there will never be peace or security in the Middle East.

Mr. Eden: Mr. Price knows that this matter is wrapped up in the possibility of negotiations. As the result of great efforts largely by the British Minister on the spot, we had hoped that negotiations were going to begin. Unhappily there arrived these re-inforcements. We expressed regret about that and now we have to start again to see if we can better the situation.

Mr. Stokes (Labour) was understood to ask whether in view of the fact that the French claim was that they should have a strategic base, would Mr. Eden bear in mind the arrangement Britain had in Iraq.

Mr. Eden: Mr. Stokes can be sure these matters have been very much in my mind. The difficulty, however, is to produce a situation in which the kind of arrangement we made in Iraq can be repeated and that needs confidence between the negotiating parties, which unhappily does not exist now.

War Crimes Commission

India Among 16 Invitees To London Conference

LONDON May 29, (Reuter): India will be among 16 nations to be represented at a three-day conference here called by the United Nations War Crimes Commission to discuss how to accelerate and improve the detection of war criminals of both the European and Japanese wars.

The Conference will open on Thursday and will sit in private session.

The nations represented in addition to India will be Britain, United States, Australia, Belgium, Canada, China, Czechoslovakia, France, Greece, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland and Yugoslavia.

BIG THREE MEETING

LONDON, May 29. (Reuter): Mr. Churchill made it clear in the House of Commons to-day that he contemplated an early meeting with President Truman and Marshal Stalin.

When asked by Mr. Ivor Thomas (Labour) if he contemplated such a meeting he replied in a written answer, "Yes".

RIBBENTROP'S WHEREABOUTS

Friend's Note Reveals Hideout In Northern Italy

ZURICH, May 29 (U.P.A.): A Swiss newspaper dispatch from Milan reported that the former Nazi Foreign Minister, Joachim von Ribbentrop, is hiding in some place in Northern Italy and that Allied military authorities have intensified their search.

Suspicions were raised by the arrest of Dr. Duerenberg, a close friend of von Ribbentrop. Duerenberg possessed a note which Ribbentrop sent him recently, the dispatch said.

Ribbentrop Hiding In Nazi Embassy In London?

LONDON, May 29 (U.P.I.): There is one little spot in the heart of London. It is the German Embassy at 9 Carlton Terrace, where Ambassador Ribbentrop used to hold most dazzling and expensive parties. He almost succeeded in drowning British suspicions regarding Nazi designs in an every-flowing stream of champagne—the drink in which Ribbentrop had made his fortune.

Apparently the German Embassy is no body's baby now; though for an "orphan" it is being most carefully guarded.

The "Evening News" made a sensational suggestion this afternoon that Ribbentrop might be found hiding in his one-time Embassy.

JAPS TO ATTEMPT BREAK-THROUGH

ADV. HQ., ALFSEA, May 29 (A. P. I.): The Japanese forces in the central sector are regrouping for a breakthrough assault on Fourteenth Army's Eastern Wall, writes Narinder Sethi, A. P. I. war correspondent.

(SEE PAGE 5).

British Capture 'Lord Haw Haw'

With the British Second Army, May 29. (Reuter).

William Joyce, whose affected broadcast to Britain on the German radio earned him the name of "Lord Haw Haw", has been arrested with his wife by the Second Army, cables Reuter's correspondent with the British Second Army.

It is possible that he will be tried at the Central Criminal Court at Old Bailey, London, under the Treason Act of 1940. The penalty of conviction is Death.

'AMGOT' OFFICERS LEAVE TRIESTE

LONDON, May 29 (Reuter): According to a report from the Rome radio which has not been confirmed from Allied Headquarters, Mediterranean, British and American officers of the Allied Military Government have left Trieste "to avoid any possibility of incidents with the Yugoslav authorities who are in power in the city."

480 Super Forts Hit Yokohama

WASHINGTON, May 29 (Reuter): The 20th Air Force Headquarters announces that Super Fortresses to-day (Japanese time) attacked the Japanese naval base of Yokohama.

The Super-Fortresses, which attacked the Japanese naval base of Yokohama were "in very great strength" indicating possibly up to 500

TYPHUS BREAKS OUT IN PARIS

PARIS, May 29 (U.P.A.): Typhus has broken out in Paris, an official of the ministry of Health said to-day.

He said that the Ministry was doing its best to limit the spread of the disease, "because we do not have sufficient medicines to handle an epidemic."

Mrs. Pandit's Parting Warning To 'Frisco

No Genuine World Peace Without Liquidation Of British Imperialism

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29. (U.P.A.): Twenty-five hundred persons last night filled the Scottish Rite auditorium here for the farewell appearance in San Francisco of Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit who asserted in an address that the United Nations Conference on International Organization would fail unless imperialism were liquidated.

"The people of Asia, unless given some guarantee, will rebel," Mrs. Pandit asserted. "They've had enough of domination, whether by the Japanese, British, French or Dutch."

FOR IMMEDIATE INDEPENDENCE

The speaker claimed that she had found that practically all delegates to the Conference from the Middle East and Near East were wholeheartedly in favour of immediate independence and "had the conditions of procedure and protocol permitted, many would have been glad to place themselves on record and otherwise lend active support for a declaration of Indian independence."

Speaking at the same meeting, Dr. H. H. Chang, former Chinese minister to Poland, said that "no Chinese who is true to the historic instincts of his race can feel indifferent to this great problem of India.

"Freedom for India must come because without freedom there can be no free world and no genuine peace," he added.

"Twin Brother Of Imperialism"

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29. (Reuter) Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit speaking here last night said there was no hope that victory for the Labour Party in England would have any great meaning for India. The Labour party declarations, she said, were good, but offered only dominion status, which was valueless, with no integrity behind it.

She asked what was the meaning of the end of the Fascist systems in Europe while "the twin brother of British imperialism is allowed to exist in Asia". She also asked why Indians were not entitled to their birthright of independence, considering that Hitler would have had the right of trial if he had lived, while Indian leaders were imprisoned without trial.

India welcomed support from the Chinese and Russians, who "were not afraid to call things by their proper names."

Pre-requisite Of Interdependence

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28. (Reuter): "Free India" mass meeting here, at which Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit was the star speaker, to-night heard Dr. Krishnalal Shridharani, Vice-Chairman of the National Committee for India's Freedom, declare.

"The Viceroy-dominated Indian delegation to the San Francisco Conference has become popular with the Big Powers by the simple device of bowing to their will and not demanding anything for the people it claims to represent.

A strong delegation from India would have raised its voice on behalf of all dependent peoples. The head of a Free Indian Delegation would have asserted that independence is a pre-requisite of interdependence. The Head of the present Delegation talks about inter-dependence while knowing fully well that his country is not free enough to be even in-dependent.

A free delegation from India would have demanded the sixth seat for India on the Security Council when India is free.

Party Leaders Marshal Their Forces For Election Battle

Sharp-Shooting Of Govt. By Opposition Snipers Likely In Coal Debate

LONDON, May 29 (Reuter): Britain's three political Generals—the Tory Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, the Labour Leader of the Official Opposition, Mr. Clement R. Attlee, and the chief of the Liberals, Sir Archibald Sinclair—to-day marshalled their forces for the return to the party battle with the first appearance of Mr. Churchill's new "caretakers" Government in Parliament this afternoon cables E. Fraser Wighton, Reuter's political correspodent.

Mr. Churchill's new Cabinet had its first meeting at 10, Downing Street this morning and although the conference was to some extent a "get together" of the new Cabinet personnel, the more urgent problems of parliamentary business which have been tackled in the next few days were thrashed out.

LABOUR LEADERS IN CONCLAVE

Labour leaders were in close conclave at an early hour. Party tactics as well as policy entered into their discussion. As the spearhead of the Opposition forces in the new Parliament, Labour may be expected to produce most of the fireworks of debate in the next three weeks before Parliament dissolves, but the shock troops are more likely to be drawn from the rank and file of the party then from its leadership which obviously will not be trapped into wrong moves six weeks before the general election.

While these two high level conferences were proceeding, Sir Archibald Sinclair, released from his duties as the Coalition Air Minister, was rallying his warriors at a meeting of the Liberal Council which he refreshed with a campaign speech.

To-day, Parliament is considered likely to produce great liveliness and unpredictable surprises.

COAL PROBLEM

Britain has fought right through the European war on a dropping coal output and the decline continues. Labour advocates nationalisation of mines as a cure and the Tories resist this.

There may well be heavy sharpshooting of Government this evening by Opposition snipers and even a challenge in the division lobbies. A six or seven hour debate is expected with the independent-minded Labour front-bencher Mr. Emanuel Shinwell probably leading the Opposition attack. The irony is that the Minister who takes official responsibility for coal in Mr. Churchill's temporary and predominantly Tory Government is a liberal—Major Gwylim Lloyd George, the Minister for Fuel and Power.

On all major aspects of world policy, all the three leading parties are set on the same forward course.

Only in Britain's own backyard is there a chance of a real fight.

"Liberal Army On March"

LONDON, May 28. (Reuter): Sir Archibald Sinclair, Leader of the Liberal Party and Air Minister in Britain's Coalition Government, opened the Liberal election campaign in London to-day, when he told a special meeting of the Liberal Council: "The Liberal army is on the March. The fight is on.

The fight is not primarily against Tories or Socialists, but is a fight for Liberal principles, for freedom and justice at home and abroad, and for those definite and elaborate plans for social security and full employment in a free society, which are truly Liberal in origin but which are now rightly, lastingly and honourably associated with the name of Sir William Beveridge".

ANACHRONISM.

Attacking the dispute about Nationalisation between Conservatives and Labour as an "anachronism", Sir Archibald Sinclair said "private enterprise is an energising, innovating, freshening, fertilising, versatile force here, but when great industries ripen into monopolies and form rings and cartels to choke competing enterprise and hold the public to ransom, it is high time to bring them under one of the varied forms of public control with which parliament has for 30 years and more been experimenting."

"Wild Men Of Blackpool"

LONDON, May 29. (U.P.I.): Tory electioneering slogans are running true to the type. As in 1931 they are exhibiting increasing solicitude for poor man's savings and hope to assail the Labour Party for its alleged incompetence and irresponsibility in the field of finance. Lord Beaverbrook who is going to be C-in-C of Tory Party Propaganda in the election has already revealed the line of Tory attack by publishing in the "Daily Express" an article by Mr. William Barkley entitled "What is money any how?", presumably intended to be interpreted as a well justified gesture of despair at the appalling financial ignorance of the delegates to the Blackpool conference.

Mr. Richard Law, Education Minister, in Mr. Churchill's "Caretaker" Government is quick to take up this refrain by describing the Labour delegates as "Wild men of Blackpool".

EVATT DENOUNCES GRABBING TACTICS OVER VETO ISSUE

'Big Five' Promised Toughest Opposition By Smaller Nations Since April 25

From S. A. SABAVALA, "Chronicle" Special Representative

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.

The Australian Foreign Minister, Dr. Herbert Evatt, blowed the lid off the veto tangle by calling it a dangerous blot on the charter at a specially called Press conference to-day.

Australia according to him, demands that the veto be removed not only from the procedure of conciliation but from the charter itself. He contends there is no single argument to justify the prerogative of its application to peaceful measures, whereas by its application the preposterous position arises that although ten of the eleven members of the Security Council might anxiously desire to accept conciliation, one single Great Power could, by exercising its veto, insist that a dispute between two other states shall drag on indefinitely.

"Conciliation is, in our view, not so much a right or power of the Security Council. It is a bounden duty. But if the veto is granted it would be very difficult in practice if each of the five Big Powers is permitted to retain its present unqualified and absolute right of vetoing any constitutional changes. Australia has no quarrel with the veto powers being applied to enforcement measures. It agrees that complete unanimity between the Big Five is necessary before military measures or economic sanctions are applied, but on a matter of peaceful settlements this unqualified power must be dropped".

COMMONWEALTH'S SUPPORT.

Dr. Evatt said he had a large part of the British Commonwealth behind him in this stand as well as the greater part of U.N.C.I.O., although fireworks were expected. His forthright denunciation of these grabbing methods has created a tremendous sensation. When asked what the opposing argument was, he was categoric in affirming that not a single plausible suggestion had been made by any of the Big Five. "It is exp-

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BR. MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION.

LONDON May 29, (Reuter): Ernie Roderick of Liverpool won the British Middleweight Championship beating Vince Hawkins of Southampton over fifteen rounds at the Albert Hall to-night.

TWO "SUPERFORTS" LOST IN YOKOHAMA RAID.

WASHINGTON, May 29. (Reuter): A Twentieth Airforce "communique" stated that only two "superfortresses" were lost in combat in the Yokohama raid.

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STETTINIUS CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS OF 'FRISCO TALKS

Says Strong Democratic Charter Based On Dumbarton Oaks Proposals Will Be Written

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28: Mr. Edward Stettinius the United States Secretary of State, broadcasting to the American people to-night, expressed confidence that the United Nations Conference would succeed in writing a strong democratic charter solidly based on the Dumbarton Oaks proposals.

Mr. Stettinius who was reporting the progress of the Conference after one month's work, forecast that the world organisation "will be strong in power to prevent aggression and to develop economic and social conditions which will reduce the cause of war."

He said, the primary objective of the United States foreign policy was to continue and strengthen, in the period of peace, that war-time solidarity which made possible the defeat of Germany and added, "This is true of our relations with the Soviet Union as it is true of our relations with Britain, China and France.

There have been differences. But the effectiveness of war-time collaboration has demonstrated that our differences can be adjusted."

Mr. Stettinius said negotiations for reorganisation of Warsaw Provisional Government had been disappointing. "It is the intention of the United States", he said, "To exert all its influence in collaboration with the Soviet Union and Britain towards fulfilment of the Yalta agreement on Poland."

Mr. Stettinius disclosed that the United States intended to negotiate, in the near future, a treaty with its American neighbours which would put the Act of Chapultepec on a permanent basis in harmony with a world charter."

The Secretary of State defended the 'Big Five' against criticism of the Security Council voting procedure giving them certain veto powers and said "it is not a question of privilege but of using the present distribution of military and industrial power in the world for the maintenance of peace.

"The five great nations have come here to form an organisation for peace and not to conspire for war."

Outlining a five-point American foreign policy for the future Mr. Stettinius said: "Firstly, we must carry the second phase of the war to final victory and see to it that Germany and Japan are incapable of waging war again.

Secondly, we must maintain and extend collaboration and community of purpose now existing among the great nations which have fought this war together.

Thirdly, we must seek, constantly, to make our full contribution towards establishment, in practice, of supremacy of justice and fair dealing for all peoples and states, large and small.

Fourthly, those social and economic conditions which create the climax of peace, must be advanced.

Lastly we must realise that we live in a world where sovereignty of no nation, not even the most powerful, is absolute."

"BIG FIVE" OVERCOME HITCH

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28. Delegates of the "Big Five" have overcome the hitch in the veto debate raised by the Soviet Union with the British proposing an amendment to the charter to facilitate a final settlement cables Stanley Burch Reuter's Special Correspondent.

The agreement reached among officials expected to be endorse in the instructions from Moscow, which the Soviet Ambassador M. Andrei Gromyko may receive in a day or two.

The Russians had urged that the power of veto should apply to a decision whether "procedural" or not. The British have now proposed an amendment to the charter which would compel the world organisation to consider situations and disputes which appear to threaten world security.

Under the original Dumbarton Oaks proposals, such a discussion was not mandatory. The British amendment would limit the importance of the council's decision that the question was "procedural"

ANGLO-FRENCH TREATY

Negotiations for an Anglo-French Treaty of Alliance have been held up because the British have not yet decided on the French proposals for the occupation of Western Germany according to well informed quarters here.

The French plan envisages creation of two zones—one including the Ruhr to be international and policed by international contingents and the other further west from the North Sea to Switzerland, to be divided into French, British and American sections.

The French feel that, quite apart from the question of immediate military occupation their plan is not bound up with any decision on the long term future of Germany and understanding with Britain on this subject was desirable before negotiations for a treaty of alliance could be completed.

The French today proposed an amendment to the world charter providing for "appropriate security zones" where national contingents earmarked for international enforcement of action could be stationed.

Lord Russel Returning To Politics

LONDON, May 28. (U.P.A.): The United Press of America understands that Lord Bertrand Russel intends returning to active politics. Indian circles here believe his presence in the House of Lords would strengthen India's case.

GOVT. SANCTION RS. 60,000 FOR ALIBAUG-REWA-DANDA ROAD

(From A Correspondent)

ALIBAUGH, May 26—The Alibaug Rewadanda Road is very important in the southern part of the Alibaug taluka. So far the Government did not make it their business to make it a provincial matter nor has given any help towards its upkeep, etc. It is now reported that the President of the Local Board Mr. Nana Saheb Dharkar has been successful in his attempt. It appears that the Government has sanctioned a grant of Rs 60 000.

This road has several ditches and corners and also high levels and therefore it is necessary that the Board should appoint an Advisory Committee consisting of persons known to this locality and avail themselves of their experience and knowledge.

KOKAN EDUCATION SOCIETY

The building of the Konkan Education Society at Rewdanda is nearing completion and that the opening ceremony is expected to be performed by Mr. Dadasaheb Mavlanker ex-Speaker of the Legislative Assembly in the second week of June

PORTRAITS UNVEILED IN PARSI AGIARI

Bombay Advocates Give Recital In Shahnamah

From A Correspondent)

DAVIER, May 28

A large number of sojourners visited this well-known sea resort in this season, which is now fast drawing to a close. An important function was held here on Saturday, when a portrait of late Mr Manekji P. Bharucha, who gave this townlet a sanatorium was unveiled. Two more portraits of Bai Banubai and Mr. Sam, wife and son, respectively, (both deceased) of Mr. Maneksha Framji Dubash, who also gave Davier a sanatorium, one of the largest in Gujarat, and who is still taking lively interest in the welfare of this townlet, were unveiled. This function was held at Parsi Agiari, and was preceded by a Jashan ceremony. Sardar Dinshaji S. Davierwala paid tributes to the memory of late Mr. Bharucha and also tributed Mr. Dubash, who was given a shawl in appreciation of his services. Mr. Hormasji Maneksha Bharucha was also presented with a shawl. The function was rounded off by reciting in Persian quotations from Shahnamah on Rustom Sohrab episode and translating it later into Gujarati, by Mr. Jehangir S. Chiniwala, Advocate of Bombay

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2. WALCHAND HIRACHAND, Esq.
3. DHARAMSEY MULRAJ KHATAU, Esq.
4. JEHANGIR PESTONJI PATEL, Esq., B.A. (Cantab.)
5. RAJYA RATNA S. V MUKERJEA.
6. AMBALAL KILACHAND, Esq

General Manager: M. G. MODY, Esq.

Registered Office:—Bank Building, Mandvi BARODA

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MADRAS OFFICE 121-A, Armenian Street

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"Consent of the Central Government has been obtained to this issue of Capital, subject to the conditions that so much of the capital, as cannot in that Government's Judgment be properly expended until some uncertain future is invested and kept invested in prescribed securities which shall not be released until the Central Government (in consultation with the Crown representative if any Indian State interests are involved), is satisfied that the time has come to make corresponding payments for purposes which are consistent with the enforcement of any measures of control or restriction that may be in operation at the time when such release is applied for. It must be distinctly understood that in giving this consent the Government of India do not take any responsibility for the financial soundness of any schemes or for the corrections of any of the Statements made or opinions expressed with regard to them."

PROSPECTUS

A copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Companies, Bombay, as required by Section 92 (2) of the Indian Companies Act VII of 1913.

The subscription list will open on Monday the 4th June 1945 and will close any time after the 8th June 1945 at the discretion of the Directors.

Copies of the Prospectus and Forms of Application for shares can be obtained from the REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY OR FROM THE UNDERWRITERS OR FROM THE IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA, BOMBAY, DELHI, CALCUTTA AND MADRAS.

Application will be made to the Native Shares and Stock Brokers' Association, Bombay, for permission to allow dealings in the shares of the Company.

THE ORIOL INDUSTRIES LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Indian Companies Act VII of 1913)

AUTHORISED CAPITAL **Rs. 20,00,000**

ISSUED CAPITAL **Rs. 5,00,000**

Divided into

2,000 6% Tax-free Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100 each. Payable Rs. 50/- on application and Rs. 50/- on allotment.

AND

30,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10 each. Payable Rs. 5/- on application and Rs. 5/- on allotment.

The Preference Shares carry the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of allotment, payable free of income-tax, on the capital for the time being paid-up thereon, and the right in any winding-up to repayment of paid-up capital and arrears of dividend, if any, whether declared or not, in priority to the Ordinary shares, but not to any participation in further profits or assets of the Company.

Out of the above issue, the Promoters and their friends have taken and subscribed for shares of the nominal value of Rs. 62,000 as follows:—

4,200 Ordinary Shares of the nominal value of Rs. 42,000/-.

AND

200 Preference Shares of the nominal value of Rs. 20,000/-.

And which have been allotted to them.

The balance of 25,800 Ordinary Shares of the nominal value of Rs. 2,58,000 and 1,800 Preference Shares of the nominal value of Rs. 1,80,000 are offered to the public at par for subscription.

DIRECTORS.

1. KUNWAR BASANT SINGJI, Land-lord, Civil Lines, Ajmere.
2. SETH A. M. PODDAR, Banker, 5 Hamam St., Fort, Bombay.
3. MADANLAL RAMNARAYAN Esq., Merchant, 5, Hamam St., Fort, Bombay.
4. KESHAVDEO PODDAR, Esq., Banker 5, Hamam St., Fort, Bombay.
5. M. J. CHACKO, Esq., Ex-officio, Merchant, 97, New Stock-Exchange Building Apollo St., Fort, Bombay.

MANAGING AGENTS:

Messrs. PODDAR, CHACKO & CO., 26-28, Dalal St., Fort, Bombay.

UNDERWRITERS:

Messrs. PODDAR, CHACKO, & CO., 26-28, Dalal St., Fort, Bombay.

BANKERS:

1. THE IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.
2. THE BOMBAY MERCANTILE BANK, LTD.

SOLICITORS:

Messrs. ARDESIR HORMUSJI DINSHAW & CO., Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay.

AUDITORS:

1. D. B. KULKARNI R. A., Belgaum.
2. N. S. GUBBI R. A., Fort Chambers, Hamam St., Fort, Bombay.

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Cama Building, 26-28 Dalal St., Fort, Bombay.

PROSPECTUS:

The Company has been formed for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association (a copy of which together with the names of the signatories is annexed to and forms part of the Prospectus) and in particular for starting (1) A Starch Factory and (2) A Woollen Druggets (Carpets) Factory.

(1) STARCH FACTORY:—Capital Rs. 3 lakhs. Tapioca Starch is used by Textile Mills for sizing and finishing clothes manufactured by them. Before the war this starch used to come from Singapore, Java and Sumatra but on account of stoppage of imports, the Textile Mills are dependent on indigenous products. Before the war manufacture of this starch was unknown to Indians. This starch is in great demand but is being supplied in limited quantities from South India.

The Company proposes to set up a Factory with a production capacity of 10 tons per day. The machinery and the equipment required for the factory are estimated to cost on a Post-War basis Rs. 2¼ lakhs, leaving for working Capital, Rs. 75,000. The war in Europe is over and we hope manufacturing of starch will be undertaken with latest machinery as soon as possible. The Company wants to manufacture starch with the best machinery available and produce it efficiently and cheaply. At present it is being manufactured on a Cottage Industry basis and the Mills are using the products available now for want of better qualities.

The Government of India are committed to a policy of protection and support for the Starch Industry in India as per a Commerce Department Resolution announced through the Press on 25/8/'44:—

"THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, HAVE DECIDED TO GIVE AN ASSURANCE TO THE STARCH INDUSTRY IN INDIA THAT IT WILL, BY SUCH MEASURES AS GOVERNMENT MAY DEVISE, BE PROTECTED AFTER THE WAR AGAINST UNFAIR COMPETITION FROM ABROAD, PROVIDED IT IS ESTABLISHED THAT THE INDUSTRY IS AND HAS BEEN CONDUCTED ON SOUND BUSINESS LINES".

Though at present in starch manufacture the margin of profit is enormous, we would like to view it, on a post-war basis. The Starch industry has great prospects after the war.

The result of the working of the Factory may be summarised as below:—

Pre-war cost of production of tapioca starch was about Rs. 10 per cwt.

The starch could be sold to the Merchants at a cost of Rs. 15 – Rs. 17 per cwt. and to the Mills at a cost of Rs. 17—Rs. 22 per cwt.

Taking a low estimate of the sale price at Rs. 14 per cwt., the profit is Rs. 4 per cwt.

Thus the profit on a day's production of 10 tons is Rs. 800.

The factory may be working only for about 9 months for full time production of starch as raw materials are available only for nine months in the year. Taking 250 working days in the year, the Profit for the year is Rs. 2,00,000.

Commission to merchants, incidental expenses and miscellaneous charges are expected to absorb Rs. 75,000 leaving a net profit of Rs. 1,25,000.

NOTE:—The present price of tapioca starch varies from Rs. 40 to 50 per cwt. according to quality. The cost of production is also higher, but the prices give a very good margin of profit to the manufacturer, at a rate very much higher than the above estimate. If after the war, the cost of production is higher, the price of starch also will be correspondingly higher, with perhaps a higher margin of profit to the producer.

The above estimate of Profit is taken from the manufacture of tapioca starch alone. It is also intended to manufacture Sago which gives a higher margin of profit than starch. Glucose also could be manufactured as a by-product. And when their production is undertaken at a later stage, a much higher margin of profits can be expected.

Thus the profit from the starch factory may be even more than the above estimate of Rs. 1,25,000. But taking starch production alone into consideration now, the net profits are expected to be Rs. 1,25,000 per year.

2. WOOLLEN DRUGGETS (CARPETS) FACTORY: Capital Rs. 2 lakhs. This is an industry that has been existing in India for centuries. Indian Carpets have earned a world name also. Woollen Druggets are manufactured from coarse wool and cotton yarn of the lower qualities. The Company proposes to begin working with about 200 looms with a production capacity of 400 sq. yards per day. The looms are hand-worked and so no great machinery is required for working this factory. The equipment required for the factory is expected to cost about Rs. 50,000. The factory and premises are expected to cost, Rs. 50,000, but the Company proposes to construct a pucca factory only after the war, when materials and labour will be cheaper. The balance of Rs. 1 lakh is for working Capital for the Factory.

The result of the working of the factory may be summarised as below:—

The cost of production of carpets is about Rs. 3 per sq. yard.

The Carpets could be sold at a price of Rs. 4/- to Rs. 6/- per sq. yard.

But taking the low estimate of the selling price at Rs. 4 per sq. yd., the profit is Re. 1 per sq. yd.

The profit on a day's production of 400 sq. yds. is Rs. 400/-.

The factory can be worked for the whole year without break, but taking 300 working days in the year, the profit for the year equals Rs. 1,20,000.

Commission to merchants, incidental expenses and miscellaneous charges are expected to absorb Rs. 50,000, leaving a net profit of Rs. 70,000.

Thus the net profit when both the factories are working is expected to be Rs. 1,95,000 per year.

MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTION

The minimum subscription upon which the Directors may proceed to allotment is shares of the nominal value of Rs. 50,000, which amount has already been subscribed.

DIRECTORS' QUALIFICATION AND REMUNERATION

The qualification of a Director, other than a Director Ex-officio or Alternate Director, shall be holding of at least shares of the nominal value of Rs. 3,000 in the Company.

The remuneration of each Director shall be at the rate of Rs. 50/- or such other sum as may from time to time be determined by the Company in Ordinary General Meeting for each meeting of the Board attended by him. The Directors shall be entitled to travelling, hotel and other expenses incurred in connection with the business of the Company. If any Director is called upon to perform any extra or special service for the Company, the Company may pay such additional remuneration, as determined by the Directors.

The Directors shall be paid such further remuneration per annum as the Company in General Meeting shall from time to time determine and such further remuneration shall be divided among the Directors in such proportion and manner as the Directors may from time to time determine and in default of such determination within the year shall be divided equally.

UNDERWRITING AND BROKERAGE

The entire issue of Rs. 5 lakhs has been underwritten by Messrs. Poddar, Chacko & Co. The underwriting commission payable by the Company to the Underwriters is 3% on the nominal value of the said issue of Rs. 5 lakhs. Out of the said 3%, the underwriters have agreed for payment of brokerage at 1% on allotment made in respect of applicaions bearing the stamp of recognised Brokers of Banks.

MANAGEMENT

Messrs. Poddar, Chacko & Co., have been appointed under the Articles Managing Agents of the Company for a period of 20 years from the date of the incorporation of the Company on a remuneration consisting of

(1) an Office allowance of Rs 1,000 (One thousand) per month, and

(2) a Commission of 10% (ten per cent) on the annual net Profit of the Company calculated in accordance with Section 87 C of the Act.

The remuneration DOES NOT PROVIDE for a minimum payment in case of absence or inadequacy of Profits, but the said office allowance is exclusive of all incidental expenses payable for carrying on the business of the Company including rents, salaries wages, etc.

The Managing Agents have the right from time to time to nominate two persons to be Ex-officio Directors of the Company.

INTEREST OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Keshavdeo Poddar & Mr. M. J. Chacko are partners of the firm of Messrs. Poddar, Chacko & Co., and are interested in the Underwriting commission and the Managing Agency remuneration payable by the Company.

Mr. M. J. Chacko shall be paid Rs. 5,000/- from the funds of the Company as compensation for loss of business while he was touring on behalf of the Company, and as consideration for the help he has rendered in promoting and floating this Company.

VOTING RIGHTS

On a show of hands every member, not indebted to the Company in respect of his shares who shall be present in person, shall have one vote. Upon a poll every member who is present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every share held by him.

TRANSFERS

The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares whilst any member executing the same is indebted to the Company unless the Directors in their absolute discretion approve such transferee. No reason need be given by the Directors for such disapproval.

PRELIMINARY EXPENSES

It is estimated that the preliminary expenses of the Company (exclusive of Brokerage and underwriting commission) is not expected to exceed Rs. 15,000-.

CONTRACTS

The following contract will be entered into:—

Managing Agency agreement between the Company and Messrs. Poddar, Chacko & Co., appointing the latter Managing Agents of the Company.

Copy of the above document may be inspected at the Registered Office of the Company, at any time during the usual Office hours on any working day.

GENERAL

Application for shares can be made on the form accompanying this Prospectus, or on a similar form with a remittance of the sum payable on application to the Registered Office of the Company, or to the Underwriters or the Company's Bankers.

Where no allotment is made, the deposit will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the balance of deposit will be applied towards the amount payable on allotment on shares allotted, and the balance, if any, will be returned. Failure to pay any amount on any shares allotted, when due, will render previous payments liable to forfeiture. The shares when issued will be subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, a copy of which can be inspected at the Registered Office of the Company at any time during office hours, on any working day.

(Sd.) KUNWAR BASANTSINGJI
" SETH A. M. PODDAR
" MADANLAL RAMNARAYAN
" KESHAVDEO PODDAR
" M. J. CHACKO.

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PARSI BOY'S ALLEGED MURDERER ARRESTED AT BULSAR

The alleged murderer of Pheroz Nariman Hormusji, the 11-year-old Parsi boy who was found dead in a pool of blood under the staircase on the 2nd floor of Kashinath Building at Karwar Street on Sunday evening has been arrested at Bulsar. He will be brought to Bombay as soon as the formalities are completed.

It is alleged the suspect Darabshah alias Dadiba Dhanjishah Karanjia, who had been recently employed in the Military as a Machine Engineer after committing the gruesome crime made good his escape from the scene and in a few hours caught a passenger train for Bulsar.

He travelled without ticket and, it is alleged, there were some blood marks on his clothes which roused suspicion of some persons who reported the matter to the Bulsar Police. Darabshah was then arrested.

After his arrest, Darabshah is said to have made a confession to the Bulsar Police regarding the crime.

Darabshah was residing on the 2nd floor of Kashinath Building with his brother Jehangir Karanjia who is employed in a silk cloth shop at Kalbadevi.

The motive of the murder is still not known.

Death By Asphyxiation: Coroner's Jury Verdict

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

A verdict of accidental death was given by the Bombay Coroner's Jury, at an inquest held to-day on the body of Punamchand Samnaji, residing in Sanghvi Building, Zhaveri Bazar, who was found dead in the bathroom of the house where he worked as cook to a Hindu family. Death was caused by asphyxiation as a result of fumes emanating from a boiler.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The Coroner's Jury recorded a verdict of accidental death at an inquest to-day held on Anasuyabai Bapuji, 30, who was knocked down by a motor cycle at Gowalia Tank on May 11.

MAFATLAL GAGALBHAI'S BUST UNVEILED

He Gave Munificent Donation For City's Swimming Pool

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Mr. Sunderdas Morarji welcoming the guests at the Swimming Pools Garden this evening at Chawpatty on the occasion of performing the unveiling ceremony of the bust of late Mafatlal Gagalbhai said that at a very critical time when financial help was very badly needed it was late Gagalbhai who came forward with a munificent donation and a deep debt of gratitude was due to him for the construction of the Swimming Pool. He thanked the members of the Swimming Pool for honouring his memory by the unveiling of his Bust in the Swimming Pools' Garden itself. He also wished that the Association be converted into Peoples' Association thereafter he requested the President to unveil the Bust.

Rao Saheb Kantilal Ishwarlal in unveiling the bust of Mafatlal Gagalbhai said that he was a great man and that the Association had paid a fitting tribute by erecting a bust to perpetuate his memory. Further development of the Swimming Pools was also due to three other factors including the Congress Government.

Dr. B. G. Parulekar and Mr. Sunderdas Gandhi also paid glowing tributes to the work done by Late Mafatlal Gagalbhai and how he was responsible for the opening of the Swimming Pools in Bombay. The guests and pressmen were later taken round the Swimming Pools by Mr. Wadilal and later treated 'to tea'.

Oriol Industries

Among the several commodities that India is in a position to manufacture and yet has been importing heavily from abroad, is starch, which the textile industry consumes in several lakhs of tons annually. The exigencies of the war have long made this import impossible, and now starch and several substitutes are provided by a couple of factories and by stray cottage enterprise.

A group of enterprising businessmen has organised the Oriol Industries, Ltd., to utilise this ready market by producing starch on a factory scale. Starch which used to come from Java, Sumatra and Singapore, was mainly made from maize. The new enterprise is for making an equally good product from a much cheaper substance, namely, the Tapioca root. On the face of it, the venture promises to be profitable; besides which, the Government of India is pledged to give the Industry due protection.

The Oriol Industries, Ltd., also proposes to undertake immediately another paying line of manufacture—the woollen drugget or floor carpet. A beginning is to be made with 200 looms, for which expert labour is claimed to have been secured.

The Managing Agents of the company have demonstrated their confidence by underwriting the capital issue. The Imperial Bank has also consented to accept applications for the shares.

CITY AND SUBURBS

To-day

Hindu: Vaishakh Vad 3, 2001.
Muslim: Jamadi Akher 17, 1364.
Parsi: Ader 29, 1314.
Sunrise: 6-1 a.m. Sunset: 6-12 p.m.
Highttide: 2-23, 15-28.
Lowtide: 8-20, 21-18.

Domestic Occurrence

IN MEMORIAM

THAKORE—In ever loving and undying memory of our beloved only son, Sushant Dairajlal K. Thakore, B.A., aged twenty, who expired in London, on May 30, 1938.
Gone—lifted away. Taken the stars from the night and the sun from the day!
Gone and a cloud in our heart.

To-day's Engagements

DASTUR BODE'S LECTURE: On "The Difference between the Religion taught by Zarathushtra and as Practised To-day", to-day, at 6-15 p.m. at the Sir C. J. Hall under the auspices of Mazdaznan.

MUSLIM STUDENTS' UNION: Conversational meeting to-day at 6 p.m. at the Union's Office, 3, Bastion Road, Fort, to discuss the subject "Why We Live."

CONGRESS WORKERS STUDY CLASS: Prof. M. L. Dantwalla of Ahmedabad to speak on "Standard of Living" at the A. Ward District Congress Committee's Office at 96, 98, Bora Bazar Street, Fort, to-day, at 7-30 p.m.

CITIZENSHIP COLLEGE: Dr. Zakir Hussain and Sjt. Gulzarilal Nanda will speak to the students of the Citizenship College in the Khalsa College Building at 10-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. respectively. Sjt. Prithwiraj will speak on 'National Theatre Movement' to-morrow, at 10-30 a.m. and Prof. Dantowala is expected in the same afternoon at 3.

VAISHAKHA CELEBRATION: On Saturday last Budha-Jayanti was celebrated at Bahujana Vihare, Parel. The Sinhalese Association, Bombay, had taken great interest in decoration. At 11-30 a.m. Puja was performed. In the evening welcome songs were sung. The hall was packed with Maharastrians Gujaraties Sinhalese, Bengalies and Burmese.

FOR STUDENTS

The Secretary Students' Co-operative Stores, Ltd. (42 Kennedy Bridge) writes:—Limited stocks of exercise books (120 pages) are available for sale at the cheap rate of 7 as. each at the office of the stores. The Store has also arranged for the supply of text books at offivial rates during the ensuing academic year. Students' should register their orders with the Storess. The Stores also supplies other stationery articles at cheap rates.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

WEDNESDAY MAY 30.

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244 m. (1,231 kc/s)—8-0 a.m. News (H). 8-15 News (E) 8-30 Ravi Shanker: (Sitar) 8.45 Faiya z Khan (Baroda) 8-50 News (M). 9-0 News (G). 9-10 To-morrow 9-15 M. Siddiq. 9-30 Songs (H). 9-45 Sunderabai Jadhav. 12-36 p.m. Songs (G). 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 News (H). 1-0 Mixed Melodies. 1-30 News (E). 1-40 Music. 2-30 Break for Lunch 4-20 Ramdurgkar (Vocal). 4-40 Sunderabai Jadhav. 5-0 Manhar G. Barwe. 5-30 Govind B. Kurwalikar. 5-45 Topical Talk. 5-55 Locals. 6-0 Ravi Shanker: (Sitar). 6-30 News (E). 6-40 News (H). 6-50 Tarana. 7-0 New Films (H). 7-15 Durgabai Shirodkar. 7-30 Marathi Programme (B. B. C.). 8-0 M. Siddiq. 8-15 News (M). 8-30 News (G). 8-45 Govind B. Kurwalikar. 9-0 News (H). 9-20 News (E). 9-30 B. B. C. News. 9.45 Building A New India. 10-0 AIR Orchestra. 10-15 M. Siddiq: (Vocal) 10-30 Durgabai Shirodkar.

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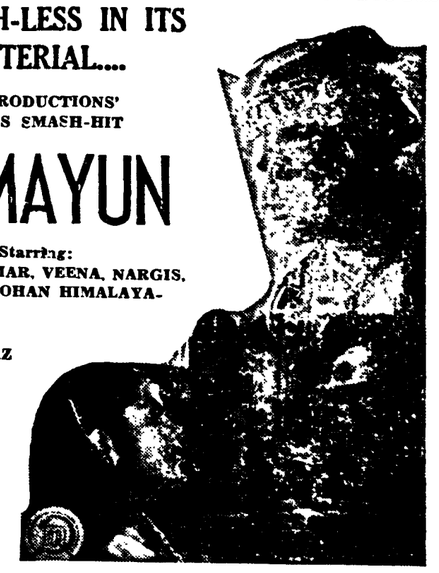
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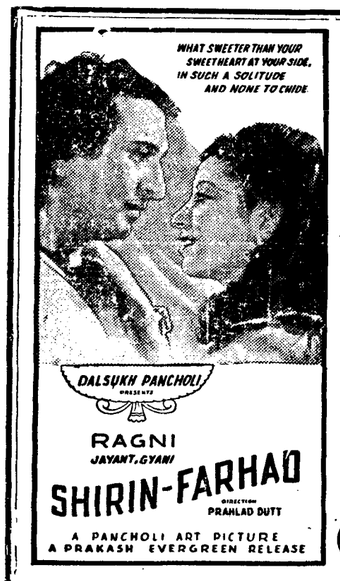

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Director: RAM DARYANI
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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, May 29. (A. P. I.): The following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during the past 24 hours total rainfall from January 1 onwards and departure from normal recorded at 9 a.m. on May 29:—

Ahmedabad 105 80 0 0.3 minus 0.3; Allahabad 107 80 T 2.0 minus 0.7; Bangalore 84 69 0 4.5 minus 1.8; Baroda 104 80 0 0.5 nil; Belgaum 91 68 0 2.0 minus 2.3; Benares 107 83 0 2.6 plus 0.1; BOMBAY 92 82 0 0.8 plus 0.1; Calcutta 90 76 0 8.9 minus 0.8; Darjeeling 64 51 0 13.3 minus 3.1; Dehra Dun 99 73 0 9.8 plus 1.8; Delhi 112 79 0 1.5 minus 1.7; Hyderabad (Dn.) 103 82 0 0.6 minus 2.7; Indore 103 78 0 1.7 plus 0.7; Jacobabad 113 89 0 0.2 minus 0.9; Karachi 89 93 0 2.0 plus 0.6; Lahore 104 73 0 7.4 plus 3.4; Lucknow 108 82 0 1.9 minus 0.9; Madras 98 82 0 5.3 plus 1.7; Mahabaleshwar 78 60 0 0.7 minus 2.2; Multan 108 81 0 2.7 plus 0.9; Mussoorie 80 59 0 5.5 minus 5.90; Mysore 85 69 0 10.6 plus 2.3; Nagpur 110 87 0 2.1 minus 0.7; Ootacamund 68 49 0.2 5.0 minus 7.1; Patna 96 79 0 5.4 plus 2.2; Pachmarhi 97 79 0 12.2 plus 9.4; Peshawar 102 75 0 4.7 minus 3.2; Poona 96 72 0 1.7 plus 0.2; Quetta 86 49 0 4.1 nil; Raichur 101 80 0 0.9 minus 1.3; Rajkot 107 77 0 0.5 minus 0.3; Sholapur 104 77 0 1.1 minus 0.7; Simla 71 58 T 12.3 plus 0.3; Surat 93 80 0 0.5 nil; Srinagar 76 49 0 13.3 minus 2.0.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Muslim young men and old desire to get out of the communal rut and line up with the forces of freedom and progress. It is for us now to go ahead and welcome the Muslim masses and intelligentsia in our great organisation and rid this country of communalism in every shape and form.

—Jawaharlal Nehru

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INDIAN FILM INDUSTRY

While post-war industrial development in various directions is being actively considered by Government and industrialists alike, the film industry has not so far received the serious attention it deserves. It is therefore encouraging to learn that an unofficial delegation of the Indian film industry is expected to leave shortly for the United Kingdom and the United States of America to collect full and up-to-date information that may be helpful in the comprehensive development of this industry. The cinema industry has existed in India for forty years and has made fair progress, considering the various difficulties in its way. India is said to be the third film producing country in the world, the first and second being respectively the United States of America and Japan. But that is the position in the aggregate. Considering the vast population of this country, the progress, though encouraging, can hardly be said to be satisfactory. According to a pamphlet published by the Independent Film Producers' Association, Bombay, India produced only 179 pictures in 1937-38 and 149 in 1943-44. As far as cinema houses are concerned we have now only about 1,700 theatres as against 19,000 in the U.S.A. with a population of 122 millions. There is, indeed, need for vast expansion in India nor is that beyond our power in spite of our political difficulties. It is to be hoped that the film industry's delegation which is expected to visit U. S. A. and U. K. shortly will be the precursor of a big stride in the industry development after the war.

Among the most urgent needs of the industry are a central institute for the whole of India for the training of technical talent and a research laboratory to enable the country to be self-sufficient in the production of raw films, technical machinery and other accessories. It is therefore, very gratifying to note that a Committee has been recently set up to formulate plans for the establishment of a Central Film Academy and a Research Laboratory, working under the joint auspices of the Indian Motion Picture Producers' Association and the Independent Film Producers' Association. It is gratifying too that Sir Homi Mehta is elected Chairman of the Committee. Sir Homi, it may be remembered, is a pioneer in the motion picture industry, having been a Director of the Oriental Film Company, which was the first to produce motion pictures in India. He is also a well-known for his munificent patronage of learning. He has donated Rs. 7 lakhs to the Bombay University for the establishment of a Chair for chemical research and is generously aiding Sir C. V. Raman's Research Laboratory at Bangalore. He may be trusted to be one of the main props of the proposed Central Film Academy and Research Laboratory.

Presiding over a recent meeting of the Committee mentioned above, Sir Homi wholeheartedly endorsed the need for such institutions in India. But he rightly added that to make rapid and substantial progress the help of the Government was imperative and that "the complete industrial development of this country could only be achieved under a fully representative national Government." For the present the Department of Planning and Development has only decided to constitute shortly a panel to consider the question of raw film manufacture. It is much to be hoped that the proposed Film Academy and Research Laboratory will soon receive generous aid from Government and the film industry of the country. Film production has not only big possibilities as an industry but has also enormous importance in national education, particularly in the education of the masses.

Frankly Speaking

A Humiliating Contrast

It should have been India's privilege and duty to voice at San Francisco the demand of Asiatic countries for complete freedom. India could not do so because she was not represented and those who allegedly "represented" her had other principles to echo and serve. The Philippines have, therefore, taken up the championship of colonies and dependencies in Asia, and incidentally, emphasised the contrast between American Philippines and British India. Brigadier-General Romulo, head of the Philippines delegation to the United Nations, has, according to the United Press of America, severely criticised the failure of the U.S. delegation to insist on independence rather than self-government as the goal for dependent nations under the international trusteeship system. One can hardly imagine Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar with his genius or Sir Firoz Khan Noon without genius, severely criticising the U. S. delegation on subject. But that is not the main point.

The Important Issue

Brigadier-General Romulo raised an important issue when he objected to the compromise accepted by the American delegation. And that was the issue of countries which, we suspect, the Imperialists of Europe would like to keep strictly as their own individual preserves. "What does a dictionary mean to a man in Indonesia or Malaya?" General Romulo asked, "It is independence that has rung in thoughts like the clarion notes of the Liberty Bell in American minds in 1776". This is literally true. Not one of them wants self-Government under a British or Dutch commonwealth. What is more, the issue before the United Nations Conference is not merely the future of old or new "mandates" but also of the old "colonies".

Interesting Proposal

The French delegation at San Francisco has proposed an interesting amendment to the world charter providing for "appropriate security zones" where national contingents earmarked for international enforcement of action could be stationed. The proposal seeks to lift the "special interests" of France in the Levant from the Imperialistic plane to that of International security and constitutes an embarrassing reminder to Britain of Egypt and Iraq, to say nothing of the Transjardon and Palestine. As regards the first, the argument may be sophisticated but it is obviously ridiculous because, if accepted, the world will have to be divided into the Great Countries and the rest into their garrison zones which means their occupation. There is, however, a real sting in the proposal in so far as it pointedly reminds one of British policy in the Middle East.

Egyptian Statement

The French proposal will, however, fail both on its merits and because the crisis in the Levant has gone beyond the stage in which it could be tackled by such clever methods. Tuesday's cables show how far the whole thing has gone. It is noteworthy that Mr. Joseph Grew, the American Acting Secretary of State, has had, however mildly, to lay the blame for it all on the French. Even more noteworthy is the reaction of the Arabs of Syria and the Lebanon. They have not been cowed by the display of French military force including "demonstrations" from the air. They are firm in their patriotic determination to resist French challenge to their independence and they are—united. Most noteworthy of all is the increasing evidence of the solidarity of other Arab countries with the Levant. The Arab League is meeting on June 5 to consider the situation and it is already in a healthily defiant mood. We attach even greater importance to the statement by the Egyptian Prime Minister, that his Government had offered its full support to Syria and the Lebanon in their endeavour to preserve their independence and sovereignty. No country or its Government with a sense of its own position and obligations would resort to such outspokenness and firm attitude lightly. The fact that Egypt is doing so is a significant notice both to France and to the other Big Powers "interested" or planning to be interested in the Middle East.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

It's a question which is worse, shortcomings or long sayings.

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A cricket makes more noise than a hornet and commands less respect.

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Many a man who thinks that he thinks has a wife who does all his thinking.

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If you get all your knowledge out of books you may as well leave it there.

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The man who never has occasion to buy an umbrella is one kind of hustler.

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Men wouldn't mind if their wives lost their tempers—provided they never found them again.

"End Sacrilege Of Shia Faith"

Husseinbhoy Laljee's Appeal To League

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

An appeal has been made by Mr. Hossainbhoy A. Laljee, M.L.A. (Central), in the course of a statement, to the leaders of the All-India Muslim League to stop, if they have great hold on Sunni Muslims as they say, "the sacrilege of Shia Muslim faiths and beliefs and the attacks on their Holy Imams by Sunnis."

Mr. Laljee adds: "Will my Shia brethren in the All-India Muslim League kindly move in the matter and pacify our wounded hearts? We are followers of Imam Hussain and we shall try and bear the sacrifices for our rightful cause."

Continuing, Mr. Laljee says that "although the All-India Muslim League has been enunciating high-sounding principles it has done nothing to remove causes which are responsible for disunity in the ranks of Muslims and which have led to frequent riots among them."

Mehtab Expected In City Today

BOMBAY, Tuesday. (A.P.I.): According to a telegraphic message received locally, Mr. Harekrishna Mehtab, who was expected here to-day, will arrive to-morrow by the Nagpur Mail and leave the same evening for Mahableshwar to see Mahatma Gandhi.

Dr. Gopichand Resigns Congress Membership

LAHORE, May 25 (U.P.I.): It is understood that Dr. Gopi Chand, a prominent Congress worker of the province, has resigned from the four-anna membership of the Congress in view of the internal disputes of the Congress Groups in the province. There is, however, no question of accepting the resignaion at present. As the Congress being under the ban, nobody has the right to function in its behalf.

It might be stated that Dr. Gopi Chand had resigned from the Punjab Assembly of which he was the leader of the Opposition in April 1940 on similar grounds.

Our Readers' Views

Save The Seven From The Gallows

The Capital Punishment Relief Society came into existence in February, 1943 for the purpose of securing release from capital punishment of twenty-four persons of Ashti, Chimur and Betul, by all legitimate means. These men were sentenced to death on charges alleged against them for being implicated in the 1942 disturbances.

The C. P. R. Society had to move on more than one occasion, the High Court, the Federal Court and the Privy Council, and this could be made possible only by the voluntary donations given by the public, from the poorest to the richest.

As a result of the activities of this Society, seventeen men have been so far saved from the gallows, while the case for the remaining seven is being again contested before the Privy Council. Advocate Dr. Kedar and Advocate Mr. Ghate are appearing on behalf of the seven accused persons. The case has now reached a stage where it has become necessary to prefer an appeal before the Privy Council on the legal issues arising, if these persons have to be saved. In order therefore to secure suitable legal aid here and in England also, it has become necessary for the Society to approach the generous hearted public once again for funds and hence this appeal.

The Society, therefore, earnestly urges the public to come forward with all the help that it can give to this worthy cause. Please send whatever contributions you wish to give to Mrs. Anasuyabai Kale, President Capital Punishment Relief Society, Anand Bhuwan, Dhantoli, Nagpur as early as possible. Remember, there is no time to be lost. All receipts will be acknowledged in writing.

Mrs. ANASUYABAI KALE,
President,
C. P. R. S.

Nagpur.

Morning Classes At Khalsa College

It is rumoured that the University authorities are going to suspend morning classes in Arts, at Khalsa College, for this academic year. Protest against this suggestion is also made by many students, who are already in the college and who intend to join the College.

In these hard days many students were compelled by the financial positions to give up further studies in College. But this arrangement of holding morning classes in arts, facilitated them a good deal. Recent rumour is a shock to many students. If the authorities concerned change the time, then it will be a direct compulsion to give up studies.

It is a fervent appeal to the authorities concerned to take every favourable step to continue the same system in Khalsa College and give every help for the young, intending to continue their further education.

K. N. BENGERI.

A RAY OF HOPE!

Government Proposals To Contain "Essence Of Responsibility"

King And Queen To Tour Empire After End Of War In Far East?

DARBAR TO BE HELD IN DELHI?

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, May 28.

This is, practically Lord Wavell's last week in London; I am told his Secretary is not committing his Chief to any fresh appointments and going beyond Thursday next. It is said Government proposals were finally formulated last week; they are coming up probably on Wednesday for review before the India Committee of the Cabinet of which Mr. Amery, Sir John Anderson, Sir James Grig are the most important members. Sir S. Cripps was technically its member till to-day, when he offers the seal of office to King. So he ceases to be its member on Wednesday. Despite optimistic forecasts put out from certain quarters it seems the proposals will not meet the minimum aspirations of Nationalist and moderate circles in India.

It is generally believed Lord Wavell impressed on the responsible quarters here that the present Executive Council must be replaced by new men as soon as possible. He also advocated immediate release of the remaining members of the Congress Working Committee, also many other politicals.

Sir Claude Auchinleck appears to have been most helpful to Lord Wavell. He is not worried about Defence of India. It is said he has represented to Mr. Amery. He too is in favour of introduction of new element at the seat of Government.

Sir C. Auchinleck has also stressed importance Indian (INDIAN) soldiers occupying British territories liberated from Japan in South-East Asia.

Sir Claude Auchinleck assured Mr. Amery that he can look after Japan without any difficulty.

Gossip has it that when asked whether he had any say in the present discussions, Sir Feroze Khan Noon replied: "What's the use of my taking part in them. Nobody seems to take me seriously." According to the same gossip Sir Ramaswamy Mudaliar, who is rated very highly in official circles, had a good deal of say in the matter when his opinion was canvassed. He is reported to have said: "Well we have done the job quite well during these troublous times. We certainly are capable of carrying on until the end of the Japanese war."

Those responsible for formulating the new proposals appear to have been impressed by Sir R. Mudaliar's statement: "There is not any need to do anything at present."

Sir Ardeshir Dalal who has gained reputation as the Progressivist Member of the Executive Council has all along taken the view that it is only necessary to release political leaders and replace the present Executive by men who have a following in the country, but it is highly desirable that a new Executive should represent the national will of the people as a whole, with the Viceroy retaining the direct voice with Sir Claude Auchinleck in the matter of Defence only. Sir A. Dalal is believed to have urged the necessity of holding General Elections at the earliest possible date.

A RAY OF HOPE

AT THE SAME TIME THERE IS A FAINT HOPE THAT THE GOVERNMENT PROPOSALS MAY CONTAIN THE ESSENCE OF RESPONSIBILITY AT THE CENTRE. THIS HOPE IS BASED ON THE REPORT THAT THEIR MAJESTIES ARE PLANNING A TOUR OF THE EMPIRE, IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE END OF THE JAPANESE WAR. THEY ARE EXPECTED TO VISIT AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND WITH TWO PRINCESSES, AND IF THE PRESENT PROPOSALS REGARDING INDIA ARE BASED ON A LONG-RANGE PLAN LEADING TO FINAL SETTLEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES, IT IS TAKEN FOR GRANTED THAT AFTER THEIR TOUR IN THE TWO DOMINIONS THEIR MAJESTIES MAY HOLD A DURBAR IN NEW DELHI

From today onwards, Lord Wavell will have a crowded programme There is a series of interviews which are of the nature of 'au revoir' His early caller to-day has been Sir A. Dalal who is leaving London next week for America. Lord Wavell will be meeting some members of the Cabinet, also, industrialists like Messrs. Tata and N. R. Sarker who are leaving on 4th June on a tour of industrial centres in Britain. Mr. Sarker is meeting Mr. Amery and Sir J. Anderson to-day. He has already seen Lord Catto, Governor of Bank of England. It is understood three industrialists flew to the Allied occupied portion in Germany.

Believe it or not the very latest gossip Bhulabhai Desai and Deputy Leader of the League Party Liaquat Ali Khan are arriving in London "in the very near future."

PUNCTUALITY ENFORCED ON MAHATMA

Lady Thackersey's Young Niece "Turns Laugh Against Gandhiji"

MAHABLESHWAR, May 29. (A. P. I.): It is learnt that Mahatma Gandhi will leave for Panchgani on May 31 for a month's stay there. Mahatma Gandhi will be the guest of Mr. Nanji Kalidas at "Dilkusha".

Mr. Jairamdas Daulatram and Mr. Harekrishna Mahatab are expected to see Mahatma Gandhi at Panchgani.

Mahatma Gandhi who produces a watch to get rid of the visitors who try to exceed the timelimit had the laugh turned against himself last evening. Finding that Mahatma Gandhi was not yet ready for prayers at three minutes past seven—seven is the usual prayer time—Lady Thackersey's young niece who rarely misses prayers snatched a watch from the hands of a visitor, ran inside and showed it to "Bapu". Mahatma Gandhi responded to the call after a minute or two.

LONGDEN BACKS JINNAH

MAHABLESHWAR, May 29. (O. P. I.): While expressing his views after reading Gandhiji's replies, Major Longden, Conservative candidate for the coming General Election, told Press representatives that he had gained the impression that, "objection of the Congress to Mr. Jinnah's Pakistan was that he would not commit himself to Federation before separation—in just the same way as Congress itself would not commit itself to Indian Dominion Status before Independence.

"If this attitude of the Congress was justified—and it was certainly understandable—then so is Jinnah's".

GANDHIJI AND ANDREWS MEMORIAL SCHEME

Viswabharatti Principal's Talks With Mahatma

MAHABLESHWAR, May 29 (A. P. I): Anil K. Chanda, Principal of the Viswabharati, had a 45 minutes' talk this evening with Mahatma Gandhi. Mahatma Gandhi made enquiries about the working of the various departments of the Viswabharathi and in particular about the progress of the Andrews Memorial Scheme.

It will be recalled that Mahatma Gandhi raised rupees five lakhs for the Andrews Memorial Fund which is to be utilised for establishing a hospital for villages and for founding a department for International Co-operation at the Viswabharathi. Mahatma Gandhi promised to visit Santiniketan when he gets an opportunity to do so.

Mahatma Shows Interest In American Negroes

MAHABLESHWAR, May 29. (U. P. I.): An American Negro journalist, Mr. Deton J. Brooks, saw Mahatma Gandhi yesterday. It is understood that during the talks Gandhiji showed keen interest in the various problems of the American Negroes.

U. P. BAN ON "PEOPLE'S WAR"

BOMBAY, May 29. (A.P.I.): The United Provinces Government has passed an order under D.I.R. 40 banning the sale and distribution until further orders of all issues of the "People's War" (English) the "Quami Jung" (Urdu) and the "Lokyudh" (Hindi), three weekly journals published from Bombay by the Communist Party of India, for publishing an article on Chandra Singh Garhwali.

Tandon to Contact Condemned Hungerstrikers

ALLAHABAD, May 27 (A.P.I.): Mr. Purshottamdas Tandon, Speaker, U.P. Legislative Assembly, it is learnt, has wired to the Adviser (in-charge of jails) U. P. Government requesting him to divert the Superintendent, District Jail, Allahabad, to permit him to interview the four condemned prisoners who have been on hunger-strike for the past 11 days.

It will be recalled that these four condemned prisoners, two are connected with the Jaunpur case. The other two belong to Cawnpore and Dmanapur (Benares) cases.

CABLE ITEMS

LONDON, May 27 (Reuter): Suggestions for improving British trade prospects in Baghdad and elsewhere in the Middle East are made in an article in the "Observer," this morning, by Capt. Harry Longhurst, a well-known golfer and Conservative Member for Action, who just returned from a tour of the Middle East.

LONDON, May 27 (U.P.A.): A claim to about 1,000 square miles of former German territory will likely be made by Czechoslovakia, the Prague Radio reported today, adding that President Benes and Marshal Stalin already had exchanged memoranda concerning the claim.

LONDON, May 27 (U.P.A.): It is anticipated that the German port of Hamburg will be opened for Allied shipping by June 1st, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Allied Supreme Headquarters.

ANKARA, May 27 (U.P.A.): The Turkish Government has decided to set up a Labour Ministry and organize workers under plans now being prepared.

The measure will match the proposed land reforms for peasants which the Turkish Government already has formulated.

KHALSA COLLEGE AND THE UNIVERSITY

The number of educated people in India is proportionately less than in practically any other country in the world. It is essential that Government and the Universities should do their utmost to encourage education, particularly higher education, as this is very essential in the post-war scheme and for the general uplift of India. It is a known fact that 80 to 90 per cent. of the students are in such a poor condition that they have to take help from funds and scholarships. Under these circumstances, it is very essential that arrangements should be made for self-supporting students as is done in America and in various other countries. Unfortunately, this aspect of educations has been neglected till recently when one College, Khalsa College, affiliated to the Bombay University, due to various incidental circumstances including military occupation of part of their premises had to start on morning classes which was a very welcome move and proved a great boon to those working in various offices in Bombay who could take advantage of the tuition given there and this apart from improving their prospects introduced a general measure of wider University education in the Province.

MORNING HOURS VERY DESIRABLE.

There can be little doubt about the fact that morning hours are very suitable, specially for education in a tropical country, and in Bombay, where during a good part of the University session, the afternoon heat is not conducive to the proper atmosphere for studies, morning hours are very desirable. Incidentally the widespread habit in India of taking meals at about 11 o'clock fails in with this arrangement. Due to some unknown causes, it seems that certain persons in the University view this attempt to increase the spread of education with undesirable disfavour, and, we understand, the Syndicate of the Bombay University has appointed a Committee to go into the question of the general teaching at the Khalsa College and it is evident that they propose changing the time from morning hours to a later hour, as the Principal of the College has already put up a notice to the effect that students who seek admission to the College from June must be prepared to attend the College at a later hour. There were over one thousand students for Arts in this College last year, and, it would not be an exaggeration to say that 80 per cent of them were employed in various offices in Bombay, but, inspite of that to better their own prospects and to take advantage of whatever education was available, joined the College. This move should really be welcome by the public and the University authorities." In fact, last year when there was an excess of students who could not find accommodation in any other College it was on the recommendation of various public personalities interested in education like the ex-Mayor of Bombay and the present Vice-Chancellor that this College willingly agreed to take in a larger number of students. If the University feel that this larger number is in excess of the teaching facilities and accommodation, they may consider the reduction of the number; but, it seems totally unjustifiable that they should consider the question of changing College hours to a later time, thus deliberately depriving a large number of students of the facility of higher education, which is a move in the wrong direction and is undoubtly anti-national and unpatriotic.

REGRETTABLE CONSERVATISM.

It is a matter of deep concern that there are Indians with such conservating views who attempt by indirect means to prevent deserving students from taking advantage of whatever few facilities are available in the country. The main objection to morning hours is brought up on the ground that students do not enjoy the full facilities of academic life. But, if we consider the type of academic life that students get in other colleges there is nothing in its favour, and, on the contrary, an industrious student taking full advantage of the academic facilities available for improvement is moving in the right direction. In justification it may be pointed out that the University results of this College compare quite favourably with those of other colleges and, therefore, the work does not suffer. It is absurd to stick to orthodox ideas of academic atmosphere which has led to a narrow aristocratic circle amongst the educated and which is totally undesirable at the present stage when some facilities should be offered to the average common man. We hope, the Vice-Chancellor, who is known to be sympathetic to students' interests, will take a firm step in this matter and, we are sure, that members of the Syndicate will not be carried away by orthodox senuments and prejudices, but will act in the right direction. This is a matter which concerns the whole City and we appeal to the Mayor of Bombay and other public functionaries to join us and help us to retain what we have and of which we are threatened to be deprieved of.

HUNDREDS OF STUDENTS WILL SUFFER.

It must be noted that almost 500 students have passed out of the First Year class and if the hours are changed it means at one stroke depriving all these students of further educational facilities. Similarly in the Intermediate and the B.A. Classes another 500 will suffer equally. Their hard-earned money, valuable time and unsparing energy will be nothing but waste. The general policy of the University is, as far as possible, not to introduce any change which will adversely affect studies and their continuation; but, this step will prove disastrous to over a thousand students who will not be able to join any other College. Besides that, the number who appeared for the Matriculation examination this year is larger than last year's number and with this excess there is again going to be a question of accommodation, and, any step to change the hours of the Khalsa College and to reduce the number of students will be detrimental to the interests of these students who will pass out this year.

In the light of these facts, we hope, the University will reconsider the whole situation before taking any final decision. Particularly the lot of about a thousand of us who have more or less completed half their course should not be lightly trifled with. Our appeal to the Vice-Chancellor and the members of the Syndicate will, we fervently hope, not go unheeded.

STUDENTS COMMITTEE,
KHALSA COLLEGE.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

WASHINGTON: The Acting Secretary of State, Mr. Joseph Grew, in a statement to-day said, he had learnt with deep regret that disorders resulting in injury and loss of life had occurred in the Lebanon and Syria following the recent arrival of French troops in the Lebanon.

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Mr. Asaf Ali, reports the A.P.I. from Delhi, has been removed to a Nursing Home according to the advice of five doctors.

It was really quite unnecessary to consult the doctors. The very fact that he was released was authoritative enough advice to remove him at once to a Nursing Home.

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The Secretary of State for India Mr. L. S. Amery, is facing three opponents in the general election contest.

His Imperialist good luck holds in his constituency too where opponents divide and he wins.

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According to the United Press of India the All-India Muslim League is sending a delegation, consisting of Chaudhry Khaliquzaman and Kazi Mohd Isa to Britain and the U.S.A. to put forward the League's point of view, specially the Pakistan demand before the people of these countries.

But unfortunately for the jaded and blase peoples of those countries the report will turn out to be incorrect.

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The French delegation at San Francisco has proposed an amendment to the world charter providing for "appropriate security zones" where national contingents earmarked for international enforcement of action could be stationed.

Splendid. If some one else "holds what is his" for the good of the held why should the French not hold the Levant for the good of the world?

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In a broadcast to the people of America, Secretary of State Stettinius, defending the Security Council voting procedure, said: "The five great nations have come here to form an organisation for peace and not to conspire for war".

"Not to conspire for war" evidently includes "not to stop aggression" too.

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The Secretary also urged as one of the five points of American policy: "We must realise that we live in a world where sovereignty of no nation, not even the most powerful, is absolute".

Not even through the veto?

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Says a SHAEF message: "Dead or alive Hitler will be tried in 'absentia' as a war criminal".

Nevertheless he has fully collaborated with the prosecutors by already awarding himself the capital punishment and executing it.

When India Lost Independence Battle In America

Lin Yutang Says 90 Per Cent Of U. S. Press In 1943 Favoured British Policy

New York, May 29. (Reuter): The well-known Chinese author, Doctor Lin Yutang, declared last night: "The fight for the independence of India was lost in America in 1943 when 90 per cent of the American Press wholeheartedly favoured the British point of view".

Lin Yutang was one of the principal speakers, at a dinner given by Mr. Amritlal Sheth, editor of the "Janmabhumi", Bombay, to celebrate the inauguration of the New York offices of his newspaper and of the Indian Languages Newspapers' Association.

Urging the free interchange of news all over the world, Doctor Lin Yutang added: "There seems to be pronounced ignorance in the American Press of conditions in India".

Mr. Sheth, who is returning to Bombay next week, emphasised that in opening offices both in New York and Washington he did not intend to use them "for the purpose of propaganda but to establish cultural affinities between India and America".

BANGALORE, May 26 (U.P.I.)—The Government of Mysore, it is learnt, have increased a grant for the coming year of Rs. 1,25,000 for the amelioration of the Harijans and the Depressed Classes in addition to Rs. 75,000 granted in the previous year.

Jap Campaign By No Means Ended In Burma

Tokyo Troops Regroup In Several Places And Offer Strong Resistance

PREMIER SUZUKI CONFERS WITH EMPEROR

LONDON, May 28. (U.P.A.): Official reports confirm that the Burma campaign is by no means ended, with indications that the Japanese appear to be regrouping at several points and offering the strongest resistance supported by heavy artillery, writes Harold Guard, United Press of America correspondent, today.

The 'communique' and correspondents report repeated Japanese counter-attacks being launched at night while during daylight they hurl fanatical bayonet charges in an effort to dislodge British troops.

Correspondents experienced in the South-West Pacific compare the present Burma battleground with New Guinea during the Buna-Gona campaign, which U. S. Gen. Robert Eichelberger described as a "military nightmare." In the present venue, Burma fighting country is so dense the presence of enemy dead becomes detectable only through the filthy stench and it becomes impossible to count enemy dead. Like the Australians in New Guinea, and British Fourteenth Army is cutting its way through the jungles of the Shan Hills pursuing a phantom enemy. In monsoon weather the visibility becomes limited in the jungle to a square foot with slimy, treacherous mud underfoot.

MONSOON IMMINENT

Tokyo Radio mentions the imminence of the monsoon so that "the Burma war has become more stationary with both sides reorganizing strategic positions", adding that there is no particular news from Burma except heavy fighting in the vicinity of Toungoo.

Japs In Strength Attack Allied Positions

ADV. HQ., ALFSEA, May 29 (A. P. I.): "In the Mokshitwa area (14 miles north-west of Pegu), Japanese forces in strength attacked positions held by Fifth Indian Division from all sides during the night", says today's SEAC 'communique.'

All the attacks were repulsed.

"Following outflank movements and heavy mortar fire during darkness, the enemy was forced by Nineteenth Indian Division to abandon 60 bunker localities north of the Mawchi Road (east of Toungoo) in the area of milestone 11½. Two anti-tank guns of 47 MM calibre and one gun of 75 MM calibre were captured in the area.

"Thirty-two miles north-north-east of Tharrawaddy a large concentration of Japanese was heavily engaged by our artillery and aircraft

"Elsewhere mopping up operations proceeded satisfactorily.

"Weather considerably restricted Eastern Air Command operations yesterday."

Seventh Indian Division Wins Battle Of Oilfield

The battle for the oilfields was won by the Seventh Indian Division, it is disclosed in a Press Note.

The Seventh Division embarked on its long operation in mid-January when its "tail" was still in Kohima, 300 miles away.

In one month the Division advanced a distance equivalent in air miles to that between Paris and Berlin.

Hundreds of Japanese have been accounted for in the campaign to date by men of this famous Division, without whose brilliant move, magnificently supported by combined R.A.F. and U.S.A.A.F. air-cover, the sweep of the Fourteenth Army to Meiktila and from there towards Rangoon, could not have been developed so decisively.

HIROHITO CONFERS WITH SUZUKI

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28 (U. P. A.): The Tokyo Radio reported to-day that Emperor Hirohito had granted a special audience to Japanese Premier Baron Kantaro Suzuki, who reported on the general war situation.

Japs Claim Heavy Toll Of U. S. Warships

HONOLULU, May 28 (U.P.A.): The Tokyo Radio to-day broadcast a Domei News Agency dispatch which asserted that Japanese "Kamikaze" suicide planes Monday sank an American battleship, two cruisers and a transport off the east coast of Okinawa.

New Boss Of Jap Combined Fleet

LONDON, May 29 (Reuter): The Japanese News Agency announced to-day that Vice-Admiral Jisaburo Ozawa has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Combined Fleet in succession to Admiral Soyemu Toyoda.

Admiral Toyoda has been made Chief of Naval Staff, succeeding Admiral Koshiro Oikawa.

Reuter adds Vice-Admiral Ozawa was hitherto Vice-Chief of the Naval General Staff and President of the Naval Staff College. Admiral Soyemu Toyoda was appointed chief of the newly established overall Japanese Naval Command only on May 1.

200,000 DUTCH TO JOIN WAR AGAINST JAPAN

The Netherlands is preparing to throw 200,000 men into the war against Japan, according to Dr. Hubertus Van Mook, acting Governor-General of the Dutch East Indies.

Dr. Van Mook made this statement to-day upon his return from Washington, where he said he discussed problems involved in the Pacific struggle.

"Since Holland has been freed, we have been working on the question of much larger participation by the Netherlands in the Far East war", he said.

"The response by volunteers in our country has been most satisfactory", he added.

Dr. Van Mook said that American forces had by-passed the East Indies and it would be up to the Dutch to mop up there.

Dr. Van Mook is leaving for Australia to-day.

JAPANESE MOBILIZING JAVANESE YOUTH

Japanese military authorities are mobilizing Javanese students into guerilla bands to oppose anticipated Allied invasion, the Batavia Radio reported to-day.

'Aussies' Occupy Freda Hill

MELBOURNE, May 29 (Reuter): An Army statement says that Australians have occupied Freda Hill, a long disputed feature on Tarakan after heavy air strikes including the dropping of incendiaries and jelly-field bombs.

In New Guinea the Japanese are still fighting strongly from the hills behind Wewak.

CHINESE ADVANCE FROM NANNING

CHUNGKING, May 29 (Reuter): Chinese vanguards pushing south-west from captured Nanning, capital of Kwangsi Province, are nearing the small town of Suilu, while fierce fighting continues in the vicinity of Pinyang, 60 miles north-east of Nanning, to-day's Chinese 'communique' announced.

B.E.S.T. UNION PRESIDENT ARRESTED AND BAILED OUT

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Mr. Abidalli Jafferbhoy, President of the B.E.S.T. Company's Workers' Union and Mr. Mahomed Hifazat Rasul, General Organiser of the Union, were to-day arrested by Sub-Inspector Hansraj Ghaie of the Bombay C.I.D. (Labour Branch) under the Defence of India Rules. They are alleged to have incited the workers of the Company to go on strike for 10 minutes as a mark of sympathy with the Chimur and Ashti prisoners in April last. They were placed on a charge sheet before Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, the same day and were released on bail.

The charges against the accused are that they issued on April 3 last a prejudicial report, namely, leaflets asking the workers of the B.E.S.T. Company to go on strike for 10 minutes in connection with the observance of Chimur and Ashti Prisoners Day.

Mr. Abidalli was further charged with issuing three types of leaflets in contravention of the Paper Control Order.

Mr. K. K. Shah, who appeared with Mr. C. P. Desai and Mr. Singh for the accused applied for bail. The application was granted.

Before the same Magistrate, Mr. M. Harris, editor of "The Ajmal" and Mr. U. H. Khan, keeper of the press, were next placed for printing the leaflets referred to above, in the press in contravention of the Paper Control Order. The accused were allowed bail. Mr. Shah with Mr. Desai appeared for the accused.

The Magistrate adjourned all the cases till June 12.

NEWS IN BRIEF

BANGALORE, May 26 (U.P.I.)—Dr. C. V. Raman has also been invited to attend the jubilee celebrations of the Academy of Science, U.S.S.R. to be held in Moscow and Leningrad on June 15 and 25 respectively, it is learnt. Enquiries made show that there is no likelihood of his attending the jubilee celebrations.

LAHORE, May 29. (A.P.I.): All important villages in the Punjab will have Panchayat "Ghars" which will be fitted with radio sets and equipped with libraries, which will serve as social clubs and cultural centres to help to improve the standard of living of the rural population.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

CALCUTTA, May 29.

On the Calcutta Stock Exchange today Coal shares continued their upward trend, while other sections kept fully steady. Government securities were firm. The following are to-day's final transactions up to 3 p.m.:—

GOVT. SECURITIES: 3 per cent Government Paper 90/14/6, 3 Loan 1949/52 101/6 Small Lot, 3 per cent Loan 1951/54 100/11 Small Lot, 3 per cent Loan 1953/55 100/8 Small Lot, 3 per cent Victor Bonds 1957 100/1 3 per cent Loan 1959/61 99/6 Small Lot, 3 per cent Loan 1963/65 99/4 Small Lots, 3-1/2 per cent Government Paper 100/5, 4 per cent Loan 1960/70 112/11, 5 per cent Loan 1945/55 101/5 Small Lot.

BANKS: Bharat Bank 101/8, Calcutta National Bank 15/8, Reserve Bank of India 135/8.

COTTONS: Bengal Nagpore 40/12 Ex. Div., Cawnpore Textiles 12/7, Elgin Mills Ordy. 64, Keshoram 17/5.

COALS: Bengal 692, Bhalgora 20/9, Bhulanbaree 33, Bokaro and Ramgur 46/14, Burra Dhemo 10/14, Burrakur 42, Deoli 17/8, Dhemo Main 26/2, East Indian 38/14, Equitable 67/12, Ghusick and Muralia 14/14, Kuardi 19/8, Nazira 19/11, New Berbhoom 41/12, New Churulia 12/8, Ondal Uxqr, Raneegunge 54/3, South Karanpura 30/2, Satpukuria and Asansol Standard 43/10, Talcher 12/6, West Jamuria 61.

JUTES: Alliance 652, Anglo India 474, Bally 366/8, Barnagore 232, Champdany 267, Budge Budge 531, Delta 586, Empire 47/10, Howrah 93/4, India 705, Kamarhatty 725, Kankanarrah 608, Kelvin 955, Kinnison 405, Lothian 520, National 34/5, Nuddea 132/8, Presidency 12/6, Reliance 78/8, Union 512.

Minings: Burma MMMMMMM

MININGS: Burma Corporation 5/12, Consolidated Tin 4, Indian Copper Corpn. 3/2.

ENGINEERINGS: Braithwaites 11/10, Indian Iron and Steel Ordy. 40, Jessops 24/8, Marshalls 5/4, National Iron 12, Steel Corpn. of Bengal Ordy. 33/1, Ditto Preference 142/8 C.T.

MISCELLANEOUS: Dalmia Cement Defd. 3/10 Small Odd Lot, Balmer Balmer Lawrie 411 Cum Div Small Lot, Bararee Coke 32/11, British India Corp. Ordy. 6/4, Calcutta Tramsways Ordy. 48/6, Indian National Airways 25, Indian Wood Products 28/8, Ivan Jones 4/4, National Insulated Cables 14, Walford Transport 4 British Burma Petroleum 5/15, Indo-Burma Petrol 103, Shree Gopal Paper 17/5, Ditto Pref. 160 Titaghur Paper 27/8, Midnapore Zemindary 173/8, Calcutta Steam Navigation 338, India General Navigation Ordy. 188.

SUGARS: Cawnpore 38, Champaran 37 Darbhanga 28/4, Dyer Meakin Brewery 16.

TEAS: Loobah 18/8.—A. P.

Dockers Down Tools In English Ports

LONDON, May 29. (U.P.A.): Workers at two places in England struck yesterday when extra pay for handling wartime cargoes was lopped off and regular commercial rates were resumed.

At Avonmouth, all dockers except those on a hospital ship, quit work over the restoration of the commercial rate of two pence half penny per ton unloaded from the governmental cargo rate of three pence three farthings per ton. They refused a request from union officials to resume work.

At Edith on the Lower Thames, seventy coal porters struck when their pay was reduced by ten shillings daily—the fee drawn for loading coal on ships bound for enemy waters.

Evatt Denounces Grabbing Tactics Over Vote Issue

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dient," is the only comment. I have heard from the Big Five camp."

Continuing, he said that in many ways the charter was a distinct improvement on the League of Nations Covenant, but with regard to the actual machinery it was not so satisfactory. The veto is responsible for this.

BALKAN STATES' EXAMPLE.

He illustrated his stand, saying suppose two Balkan states applied to the International Organization for a settlement of a dispute. One major power on the Security Council can nullify any conciliatory measure the Council may be able to take by exercising its powers of veto, thus denying succor to the two states. In fact until the dispute reaches a state of war, which in turn threatens world peace, nothing can be done by any one merely because one nation out of 49 has proved isolationist.

The battle is now joined. Whether the smaller nations will dare to stand by Australia when the vote is taken is a matter for conjecture, but it is now obvious that the Big Five are promised the toughest opposition since April 25.

Dr. Evatt was asked repeatedly what the argument was against this Australian approach. His reply was: "Ask Gromyko, the Russian chairman".

ROMULO EXPOSES TRUSTEESHIP FAKE

Filipino Champions Underdog's Cause

(From S. A. Sabavala "Chronicle" Special Representative.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.

Brigadier General Carlos P. Romulo head of the Philippines delegation, is the second man to prick an U.N.C.I.O. bubble to-day. An hour after Dr. Evatt denounced the veto powers, I got an exclusive interview with the Filipino chairman on the question of trusteeship which is supposed to be signed, sealed and delivered.

Romulo denounced the decisions reached as inconclusive, he language as obscure with too many "if's" and "but's" attached and the cause of dependent peoples unsatisfactorily served. In the clause of the trusteeship committee which calls for the sponsoring of independence and for self-Government of dependent peoples the Philippines, backed by many smaller powers, has moved to suggest that it be made quite clear that U.N.C.I.O. will support unequivocally the attainment of sovereign independence

The general explained with heavy sarcasm and considerable bitterness that in the present position a people may be self-governing yet they have to remain within the orbit and influence of an outside agency. But if they are sovereign then it is a horse of a very different colour.

MORAL LEAD OF AMERICA.

The word 'independence' is the foundation on which the moral leadership of America is built. Billions of people are watching and hoping that some day soon her example will make them as free as the Philippines were made free.

Romulo is consumed by an unquenchable fire. He said he would fight for this through committees, commissions and on the floor of the house in the plenary session.

"Independence is the only word that can express a man's march towards freedom let that word stand If alone holds freedom's very definition". I quote this from a statement made by him yesterday which, he told me, would be the core and kernel of his whole fight for the underdog.

When I asked him who was mainly responsible of the "if's" and "but's" and who were the underdogs, he turned and with a mischievous twinkle in his eye said that should be very obvious to me.

LET OTHERS TOO REJOICE.

I left him feeling happier than I have done for days. His tremendous joy in the forthcoming freedom of his country is unselfish. In that he wants other subject peoples to achieve the same status. Now I felt satisfied that my country's cause and the cause of the underdog would now be championed. I felt that the Asiatics were at last awake to what they had been missing so long.

To my mind the conference is now worthwhile because in this dynamic Asiatic our continent has a voice that will be clearly heard by 50 sovereign world nations.

BULSARA TOPS POLLS IN 'A' WARD

Bandra Municipal Election Results

(From Our Correspondent.)

BANDRA, May 29.

At the continued counting of votes on Monday night, of the elections of the Bandra Municipal Board, held on Sunday, in "F" Ward, which is the biggest ward, Mr. Rustom S Balsara, a prominent member of the Board, topped the polls, getting 3076 votes Mr S G. Joshi 2,358, Mr. Frederick Fernandes 2,318, Mr. C. C. Sutaria 2,145, Mr. R. A. Bhosekar 1,731 and Mrs. Annie E. Almeida 1,284. Mr. T. T. Shirke was uncontested in this ward for the Harijan seat. Mrs. Annie E. Almeida contested for the seat reserved for women against Miss G. J. Patel, who was able to collect only 328 votes.

In "C" Ward Mr. D. J. Pinto topped the polls with 977 votes, Mr. C. S. Modi 547 and Mr. M. A. Thaggarse 434. The total number of voters who exercised their right was 889 of which 20 were rejected.

"H" Ward was easily topped by Mr. G. S. Bagwe who collected 1,024 votes. Mr. B. P. Shastri 743 and Mr. V. N. Desai 658.

In the "I" Ward 654 voters exercised their right of which 43 voting papers were rejected. There was a very keen contest for the first and second place and a hard fight for the third place. Mr. J. H. Katrak topped the polls with 658 votes, while Mr H. Roy D. Mehta was second with 623 votes. For the third seat Mr. P. H. Gandhi collected 294 votes, 58 more than the losing candidate.

When the counting of "I" Ward ended the time was about 10 p.m. and Dr. Dias, the President, and the other members decided to continue counting of votes of the two remaining wards, "J" and "K" the Muslims wards the next morning, but the crowd of over hundred Muslims from the Bandra Slaughter House area, which had collected in the Municipal Hall, insisted that the counting should be continued and amidst shouts they tried to get the President to accede to their wish, but the President refused and adjourned the meeting. The crowd dispersed without any incident.

The counting of votes was resumed this morning (Tuesday) when a very large number of Muslim supporters of candidates of 'J' Ward assembled in the hall. In this ward 1,528 voters exercised their rights of which 60 voting papers were rejected Mr. Kudaikar Nooruddin topped the polls with 1,615 votes, Mr. H. U. Mahimi Haji was second with 949 votes and Mr. Gullamali M. Uttanwala got the third place with 916 votes. The gathering garlanded the successful candidates and amidst shouts left the hall.

In "K" Ward, Mr. Adamji Heptulla topped the polls and Mr. Rashid B. Verst and Mr. Yusuf S. Peerbhoy were the next successful candidates. Amongst the standing members of the Municipal Board, Mr. Peerbhoy is the only member who has been returned this being his fourth successive victory.

CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAMME VISUALISES NEW CIVILIZATION

It Upholds Human Values Of Life Says Principal Agarwal

Addressing the members of the Congress Workers' Training Camp at Matunga the other day Principal S. N. Agarwal, referring to the Constructive Programme of Gandhiji, made the following observations:—

Gandhiji's Constructive Programme of Khadi, Village Industries, Basic Education and Economic Equality visualises a new socio-economic order a new civilization. Swaraj does not mean merely the replacement of the English officers by Indian bureaucrats. It implies "new order of national life, a new culture and a new set of values. The Charkha symbolises a rural civilization based on non-violence, simplicity, justice, equity and peace. It indicates dignity of labour; upholds the human values of life, and advocates 'simple living and high thinking'."

A word of warning and appeal to the critics of Khadi and Village and Industries. In their antipathy for Khadi and Cottage products let them not run into the arms of foreign capitalists by becoming dignified agents of British manufactures. Great Britain is hastily planning to flood the Indian markets with British goods of all varieties, and the pity of it is that the Indian businessmen will act as the middlemen. Let the slogan of Swadeshi, therefore, resound from one end of the country to the other, without any loss of time. Otherwise, there is no hope for the industrialization of India, small or large scale.

It is futile to pin hopes on the good intentions of any political party in England. So far as India is concerned, all parties are at one. All the Britishers are essentially Tories and Imperialists. We should not be deluded by the rosy promises of the Labour Party leaders. When in office, they are sure to speak the language of Churchill and Amery. India has to depend on her own strength and fighting capacity. We must be prepared to suffer and serve the half-naked and half-famished masses. The Constructive Programme must be worked out with all seriousness and perseverance.

BAN ON IRON AND STEEL MOVEMENT LIFTED

NEW DELHI, May 26 (A.P.I.): Two notifications published in the "Gazette of India" remove the restrictions hitherto imposed, on the movement of iron and steel by rail, road or river.

This step has been taken, says a Press note, owing to change in the supply position and the desirability of relaxing control measures as soon as conditions permit.

The Sportsman's Sportsfolio

By J. C. MAITRA

Barring the match on Friday last, football at the Cooperage was hardly of a nature worth writing home about. Sometime ago I had written in these columns that the teams which had fared badly last season should not have been included in the First Division of the Harwood League this year. There was no indication to show that they had strengthened their combination to such an extent that they deserved to figure again in this competition. As the season has progressed it has been made abundantly clear that they had better been left out. Were they allowed to play in the Second Division and the Indian League they might have had a fair chance of improving.

RECORD SCORE AGAINST MUSLIMS.

The Muslim Sports Club was floored by the British Base Reinforcement Camp from Deolali to the tune of 11 goals to nil! This is the record score of the season If the soldiers wanted, they might have easily added a few more to the tally. Drysdale and Pearson scored 4 and 3 goals respectively. It may be said in extenuation of the Muslims that they were not in full strength, as some of their players were unable to play for one reason or another. But they could have hardly fared much better even if they were.

PLAYERS ARE NON-COMMUNAL.

One fact stands out prominently in this and that is that our players are not communalists by themselves. They want to play for the best sides possible, irrespective of their caste or creed. Although my friend Ahmed is trying hard to build up a purely Muslim team, he finds it very difficult to retain his best players. They leave his communal combination to join stronger non-communal sides. Would it not be better for him, even at this late stage, to change the communal colour of his team and strengthen it with a few non-Muslim players? It will certainly be much healthier than his communal show.

POLICE TROUNCE G.I.P.

The G.I.P. Railway is another side which suffered a heavy defeat at the hands of the City Police. The score of 8 goals to one tells its own sad tale. Adams and Woodcock were responsible for 3 goals each. It may be than the 'Cops' have improved beyond expectation or it is just likely that their opponents have fallen off considerably. There is however no denying the fact that a big margin separated the teams at the end of the fight. And they have so far lost three matches out of the four they played. It is really surprising that a big organisation like the G.I.P. cannot produce a team worthy of the Senior Division of the League. Evidently some efforts are needed from the top to improve matters.

EXIT OF MARITIMES.

Heaven alone knows why the Maritime, a new Naval combination, was given preference against the B.A.O. of the Bulldozers who occupied the first two positions in the Second Division last year! They were defeated in all the four matches they played, gathering 19 goals on the deficit side of their account. The South Indians gave them the knock-out blow on Sunday after which they decided to withdraw from the League. Really speaking the two Service teams mentioned above should have been included in the usual course. That would have also given a fair chance to the other teams in the junior Division.

INSCRUTABLE WAYS.

As we see it, at least half a dozen of the competing teams may have been well left out without any adverse effect on the Senior Division On the other hand, their relegation to the Second Division would have enhanced its interest and at the same time helped these teams to find their bearing in more congenial quarters. But it beats me why the W.I.F.A. Committee loaded so many teams in the First Division at all!

ROYAL NAVY'S GALLANT FIGHT.

The only interesting engagement of the week was between the Royal Air Force and the Royal Navy. The latter played a magnificent part in equalising three times after being in arrears by two goals in the first instance. Kelly played an excellent game to help the Navy to get on even terms. Three of the four goals of his side were his own contribution. Of course the R.A.F. were not in full strength If they had M. C. Ewan, Curtis, Powell and Hayward on the field the game might have told a different tale.

Calcutta Soccer

CALCUTTA, May 29 (A.P.I.): Mohun Bagan, last year's champion of the Calcutta Football League, maintained their winning sequence by defeating the B and A Railway by a solitary goal to-day.

In the other match of the afternoon Calcutta beat Dalhousie by two goals to one.

Results:—Mohun Bagan one; B and A Railway nil. Calcutta two; Dalhousie one.

Obaidullah Cup Hockey

BHOPAL, May 28. (A. P. I.): Another record gathering of over 10,000 saw Kamla Club, Cawnpore the holder of Aga Khan Cup Championship, enter the semi-final of All-India Obaidullah Khan Gold Cup Hockey Tournament, this evening, beating Khalsa College Amritsar by the only goal of the match.

GOALLESS DRAW

POONA, May 29. (A. P. I.): The Ghorpuri Young Boys and R. B. S. M. (officers mess) were concerned in a goalless draw to-day in the Poona Soccer Tournament.

No Reference To Any Election At All

NEW DELHI, May 28. (A.P.I.): A Press Note says:

An agency has covered the following message from a Calcutta newspaper:

In a letter to the Provincial Governments, Sir George Spence, secretary, Legislative Department, says that a week after return of Lord Wavell to India an announcement is likely to be made from New Delhi about dissolution of the Central Legislature in October, and holding of elections shortly afterwards.

Sir George want, to know, if there would be any difficulty for Provincial Governments in case elections to Provincial and the Central Legislature, were held simultaneously".

This report is most misleading. The confidential letter which the report evidently refers did not state that an announcement was likely to be made a week after Lord Wavell's return and it gave no indication of the decision likely to be reached by Lord Wavell in the matter, nor did the letter make any reference to elections to Provincial Legislatures.

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CLOTH RATIONING BEGINS FROM JUNE 3.

The rationing of mill-made dhoties, saris, plain or printed or processed mulls, voiles, and dorias, coatings including drills and ducks and shirtings including longcloth but other than grey shirtings, begins in Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District from June 3, 1945.

On the counter-foil of your application is mentioned the week and month of your first purchase. Month 6 is June, 7 July and 8 August. Week 1 means June 3 to June 9, week 2 means June 10 to June 16, and so on.

WHEN AND HOW TO PURCHASE:

Please present the counter-foil at your Rationed Cloth Shop during the allotted week along with all food-grains ration cards in your family (or certificates of eligibility in the case of residents of establishments). The shop-keeper will give you in exchange for that counter-foil, the counter-foil of your registration-sheet. You can also make your first purchase of cloth at the same time.

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Total quantum per 6 months		Maximum in each variety	
Per adult.	.. 15 yds.	Coating.	.. 8 yds.
Per child	.. 7½ yds.	Dhoties. Saris .... 12 yards (each)	
NOTE:—An adult is a person above six years.		Mulls, Voiles and Dorias (separately or in combination) .. 12 yards.	
A child is a person below six years.		Shirting	.. 15 yds.
		NOTE:—Half the above quantities will be obtainable in the case of children.	

Of these 15 and 7½ yards, you can purchase not more than 10 and 5 yards respectively, during the first three months. The balance can be purchased in the next three months as also the whole quantum if no purchase is made in the first three months.

Every time cloth is purchased, the food-grains ration cards or certificates of eligibility must be produced along with the counter-foil of the registration-sheet.

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The results of the following candidates have been reserved:—

Numbers: 223 2494 2699 2855.

The Scholarships and the Prize have been awarded as under:

1. The Sardar Bhimrao Ramrao Akbarnawis Science Scholarship to No. 2476

2. The Rustomjee M. Hirjee Reacy-money Prize to No. 2692

3. The award of the Pragji Thackersey Mooljl Science Scholarship will be made later on.

M SC. AND PH.D TRANSLATION TEST RESULTS

The following candidates have passed the French-German Translation Test for M Sc. Ph.D. Degree Examination, April 1945:

NOS.:—1 2 3 6 12 14 24 32 34 35 36 43 46 50 51 52 58 59 60 61 62 67 68

"JINNAH-AMERY LETTERS"

Govt. Assures Chundrigar of Steps In Matter

Mr. H. A. Shaikh, Hon. Secy. of the Bombay Provincial Muslim League writes:—

Persistent inquiries are being made by the Mussalmans of Bombay as to the action contemplated against the offenders in respect of the alleged "Jinnah-Amery" correspondence published in the "Matarbhumi."

The President, Mr. I. I. Chundrigar has seen the authorities concerned and has placed the matter before them and he as been assured that the matter is under consideration of the Government.

The decision of the Government is therefore anxiously awaited before any further steps are taken in the matter by the provincial Muslim League.

THE long, dark night of total war is at last over in the West, and Victory has crowned the Allied arms. There are glimpses of the dawn: the gloom in the East too will soon be dispelled, and it will be bright morning again.

WHILE sharing in the general rejoicing, we are filled with a pardonable sense of pride for contributing to the war effort and Victory. With our long accumulated resources and specialised experience in mechanized mass production methods, we have been able to *manufacture to exacting specifications, and quickly deliver,* essential war material in a hundred and one varieties – representing over three fourths of the total output of our Metal Products Works, and worth crores of rupees. This includes items like ***Army Vehicles parts*** • **Field Equipment** • ***Anti-Aircraft-Gun Trolleys*** • **Artificers' Tool-Boxes** • ***Wheel-barrows*** • **Kit-Boxes** • *lacs of* ***Hospital Beds*** • **Sand-Channels** for desert warfare • ***Parachute Containers & Bomb-Racks*** • **Stirrup-Pump Stands** • ***Store-Bins*** • *myriads of* **Munitions Components** • ***Hangar parts*** • *millions of* **Picket angles** • ***Steel Windows*** *by thousands* • **Transfusion Stands** • *well over a lac of* ***Telegraph Poles*** – many of which were never made in India before; and we could not have produced them without the help of the various kinds of valuable **Machine-Tools** manufactured by ourselves in wartime and made for the *first* time in India. Indeed it has been possible for Godrej to make anything in sheet-metal and hardware to the same standards and as economically as by any manufacturer in the world.

MOREOVER, during these most trying of times, we have striven hard to meet essential **Government & Civilian demands for Security Equipment:** All over the country Godrej Safes, Locks & other security products, Hospital Equipment and Safe-Deposits have given a sense of security, so vitally needed to countless households and institutions, especially when this land was actually threatened with invasion. That Godrej could ensure real security has been testified to after the catastrophic AMMUNITION EXPLOSIONS in the Bombay Docks on the historic 14th of April, last year. In the fury of an unforeseeable onslaught, worse than the grim horrors of bombing, Godrej Safes stood firm in quite a unique manner, defying the battering falls and devouring flames of fires that lasted a fortnight — simply refusing to give up what they guarded!

WE have also done our bit in other ways: Godrej **Toilet Soaps** have in wartime fought (along with our forces) at the United Fronts—against dirt and disease, sweat and strain, besides helping to keep a Nation clean and healthy. Even in these most difficult times we are proud to have zealously upheld the renowned Quality of Godrej 'chavi' brand Soaps.

OUR story will not be complete without special mention of Godrej Dynamite **Glycerine,** which has helped the gallant Allies to blast their way to Victory.

BUT there can be no resting on our oars, yet, for the job of liberating the rest of the world remains, and our efforts should continue unabated. And when, after this heralding of the dawn, we have a new era of Peace on all this wide Earth and freedom for *all* men, Godrej will be at your service meeting all peace-time demands for Metal Products, Toilet Soaps, and Glycerine for medicinal and industrial uses.

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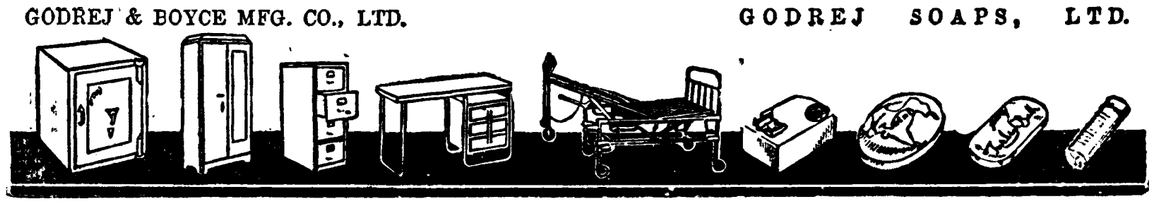

Extension Of Setback On Stock Exchange

BULLION MARKET BARELY STEADY

Cotton Declines On Tired Liquidation—Later Partial Recovery On Covering

BOMBAY, May 29.

There was further extension of yesterday's setback on the Stock Exchange to-day when absence of buying resulted in small losses. There was nothing like any unloading but the session witnessed routine trading of a jobbing nature. As a result of day's trading Tata Steel Dfds. lost Rs. 14/-, Ordinary Rs. 2/8, Bombay Dyeings Rs. 5/- and Kohinoors Rs. 2/8.

There was some professional unloading in the bullion market which had depressing effect. The market is not free from the effects of the scarcity of stocks.

Cotton market was weak on tired long liquidation and later prices recovered partially under short covering. Demand for ready cotton was moderate but the contract market was dull.

The local Share Bazar was quietly steady with a restricted turnover. There was routine business and quotations fluctuated within a narrow range. Tata Steel Dfds opened at Rs. 2132/- and after declining to Rs. 2126/- recovered to Rs. 2132/-. Ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 398/-. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1878/- and declined to Rs. 1872/- under scattered selling but later improved to Rs. 1932/- Kohinoor mill shares opened at Rs 607/- and improved to Rs. 609/- but steadied at Rs. 607/- Central India shares were quoted at Rs. 378/- and Century shares were placed at Rs. 905/- Gokaks were done at Rs. 300/- while Simplex shares stood at Rs. 281/8. Andhras were quoted at Rs. 1735/-. Associated Cements stood at Rs. 236/-. Bellapur were quoted at Rs. 219/- and Bombay Burmas were done at Rs. 525/- Indian Irons were placed at Rs 29 14 and Steel Corporation shares were quoted at Rs. 32/14.

GOLD AND SILVER

The local bullion market opened steady today and declined in professional unloading. It was reported that prominent bulls who were controlling Bullion market were reported sellers.

The Reserve Bank of India sold today 35,000 tolas Gold at Rs 74/13 and 150 bars Silver at Rs 132/6.

The forward Silver market opened today at Rs 132/8 and declined to Rs 131/6 on persistent long liquidation Ready Silver was placed at a premium of annas eight at Rs 131/14

Gold market opened at Rs 74/10 and kept on sagging under general realising and touched Rs 73/15. Ready Gold was placed at Rs 74/6. Tone was quiet with buyers holding aloof. The offerings were taken up by shorts.

Later on the market was steady on short covering. Closing quotations were as under:—

	Rs.	as	p.
Ready Silver	132	4	0
Silver Settlement	131	9	0
Ready Gold	74	15	0
Gold Settlement	74	9	0

(From Our Correspondent)

BHUJ, May 29.

To-day Hundi Koris 368. Gold Rs. 72.

BOMBAY COTTON

The local cotton market was again quiet today with moderate selling and buyers are losing confidence.

It is said that in the face of a small crop this year, local stocks are unduly high and even larger than last year. Moreover we have no continuous trading market as after September there will be no facility to hedge stocks except against new crop contracts and there is no knowing about the time when business in new crop months will be allowed.

The market opened today at Rs 410 for July and declined to Rs 408/8 under tired liquidation. Professional bulls are overloaded and they will not allow any sudden collapse but in the meantime the general tendency will be downward.

There was further selling which depressed July delivery to Rs 406/8. At this level the decline was checked by scattered covering and July stood at Rs 407.

There was some short covering which rallied to Rs. 408/8 July delivery but thereafter there was little support and the market finally closed at 6 p.m. as under:—

I.C.C. July	407	12	0
I.C.C. Sept.	421	0	0

Cotton Parity

Indian Cotton July Contract is 720 cent points below New York July at Exchange rate 331

High And Low Cotton Prices

BOMBAY, May 29.

I C C July Highest 412-1/2 Lowest 409 Closing at 6 p m 410-1/4

I C C Sept. Highest 425-1/2 Lowest 422-1/2 Closing at 6 p m 423-1/4

Karachi 4F July Highest 41/12/6 Lowest 41/7/6 Closing at 6 p m 41/9/9

Produce Market

BOMBAY, May 29.

The produce market was quietly steady Groundnuts Moglai quality Rs. 13/15. Bold Rs. 13/8. Koromondal Rs. 14/3. Bombay quality Rs. 14/8 and Bold Rs. 14. Castorseeds Bombay Rs. 15/7/6. Goa Rs. 15/7/6. Navlakhi Rs. 15/6/6. Linseed C. P. and U. P. Rs. 16/9. G. I. P. Stations Rs. 16/8/6. Mogalai Rs. 16/8. Satna Small Rs. 16/3/6 and Navlakhi Rs. 16/15.

Calicut Quotations

CALICUT, May 29.

Cocoanuts Raw 65. Dry 80 Cocoanut oil 290. Copra Office 185. Dilpasand 200. Madrasnottam 215. Goodgooda 210. Pepper Wynaad 335. Country 315. Dry Ginger Chernad 235. Ernad 220 Coffee Robusta 85.

Paris Stock Exchange

LONDON, May 28.

On the Paris Bourse the bullishness of Government bonds and the bearishness of the rest of the market which characterised last week's closing were accentuated today. Rentes was in demand gaining upto half, believed to be unaffected by the planned Capital Tax. The weakness of shares affected by the nationalisation plans spread to other domestics and even international.—Reuter

Record Of Actual Transactions In Shares

BOMBAY, May 29.

MILLS.

Ahmedabad Advance 397/8 98/12
Apollo 3/14
Bharat 52
B. Dycing 1877/8 70 80 75 83/12 75 77/8 73/12
Central India (Ord) 379 77 79 77 79/8
Colaba 219/8
Edward Textile 630 20 25 15
Elphinstone (Ord) 80
Elphinstone (Pref) 121/14
Finlay 292 91 91/8
Gokak 295 300 299 99/8 99
India United (Defd) 3/0/9 3 3/0/6
India United (Ord) 15 15/0/6 14/14/6 15 14/15/6
Indore 713/12 8/12 13/12 10 11/4
Kohinoor 607 8 4 7/8 6 8 4 6 5
Luxmi 1316/4
Meyer 193/12
Minerva 137/8 35
Model 236/4 36/14
Morarjee 715 11/4 17/8 15 18/12 15 16/4
Mysore 280
New City 357/8
New Great 375 73 74 73 73/8
Podar (Pref) 114/8
Sassoon Cotton 20/8
Simplex 282/8 79 81/8 81 82 80/8 81/8
Swadeshi 534 30 34 31 33/8 30 32
Swan 308/8
Tata Mills 58/8 58/4
Vishnu 487/8 85

BANKS.

Baroda 140 39
Central 79 79/12 79/8
Imperial (Old) 1997/8
Imperial (New) 502/8
India 186
National Savings (P. P.) 37/8
Reserve 140/8

ELECTRIC.

Ahmedabad 242/8
Ajmer 14/14
Tram (Ord) 140/12 40/8 41
Tram (Pref) 68/4
Hydro (Ord) 203
Power 1821/4 17/8 20

INSURANCE.

British India 23
Empire 1073/12 75
Jupiter 31
New India 79/12 80/4 80
Bombay Steam 552/8 46/4
Scindia 35/2 34/15 35/6 35
Tata Steel (Defd) 2133/12 22/8 32/8 25 37/8 31/4 35 22/8 25 20 25 22/8
Tata Steel (Ord) 398/8 96 97/8 96/8 98/8 97/8 98 95/8 96/8 95/8 96
Tata Steel (2nd Pref) 164/4 65 64/12

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 431/4 32/8
A. Cement 236/8 33/8 36 35 36
Belapur 219 18/8 19/8 19 19/8
Burmah (Old) 536/4 32/8 35
Burmah (New) 198/12
B. B. Petrol 5/13 5/12/3 5/13
Indian Bleaching 162/8
I. I. Trust 112
Port Canning 104/8
P. Construction (Ord) 224 2021/8 21 21/8
Shivrajpur 50
Tata Chemical 20/10 20/11 20/10 20/12 20/8
Tata Oil 68 67/12
Walchandnagar 532/8
Western India 317/8 18/12
Laxmi Cotton (Pref) 303/2 3/12
Coorla Mills 223/12 18/12
Mandhra Bhon Rly 110
Surat Elect. (Pref) 206/14
Mukund Iron 12/8
Bombay Cycle & Motor Agency 35

Early Rise Meets More Realising On New York Cotton Exchange

NEW YORK May 28.

Cotton opened irregular. Prices eased on realising due to technical considerations but rebounded quickly on failure of selling to carry through which encouraged covering and trade buying. While the bullish crop outlook and the expected continuance of Government support programmes continued as the chief bull cards. Expectations of higher mid-May parity prices were a contributing factor. Latterly additional gains partially in sympathy with grains and securities met more realising and hedges but the market closed steady.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, May 28.

July	23.00—04
October	22.65+01
October highest (1 p m)	22.72+08
October lowest (10-17 a m)	22.57—07
December	22.56—02
January	22.53—02
March	22.52—05
May	22.44—01
July	22.31—01
Middling Spot	23.46—04

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

July	22.99—03
October	22.65+02
December	22.57+01
January	——
March	22.50+02
May	22.44+02
Middling Spot	22.55—05

NOON CALL

July	22.99
October	22.68
December	22.58

LONDON EXCHANGES

LONDON, May 28.

T. T. London on:—

New York sellers 4.02-1/2 buyers 4.03.1/2 Madrid official 44.00 Montreal sellers 4.43 buyers 4.47 Zurich sellers 17.3 buyers 17.4 Stockholm sellers 16.85 buyers 16.95

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, May 28.

	£
Rupee Paper 3-1/2 p c	72-3/4
Consols 2-1/2 p c	82-15/16
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 p c 1961	105.13/16
War Loan 3-1/2 p c	103-9/16
Funding Loan 4 p c 1960/90	113-3/8
Victory Bonds 4 p c	113-7/16
Chartered Bank of I A and China	11.7/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg.	84
National Bank of India	42.3/4

N. Y. Cloth Market

NEW YORK, May 28. (U. P. A.): Trading on the Worth Street cloth market was at a low ebb to-day due to the inclination to await the pending Government and industry conference on stepping up production after the war and the unclarified status of print goods mills under the price rollback.

WAR, TRADE AND COMMERCE

Economic Resources Board Publication

The sixteenth and seventeenth series of the publication "Statutory and other Notices issued by the Government of India and the Reserve Bank of India regarding matters relating to the trade and commerce of British India in connection with the war" covering the period June 1, 1943 to August 31 1943, and September 1, 1943 to November 30 1943 respectively, have just been issued by the Economic Resources Board.

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London Shares Quietly Steady But Oils In Demand

LONDON, May 28.

The stock markets to-day generally ruled quietly steady. Week-end orders were rather smaller than recently but were quickly absorbed. Interest was centred chiefly among industrials and a steady upward trend was noticeable throughout the session but the improvement was mainly due to absence of selling. Iron and steels met steady support. Also some amusements withstood theatres 32, higher at 16/3 following the announcement of the acquisition of substantial interest in Mossempires. Motors were in quiet request, while breweries strengthened following an uncertain start. Stores were rather mixed but cable wireless ordinary improved one point at 88 pounds following their recent dullness, while British Oxygen were requested one and three higher at 82/6. British funds held very steady around the previous levels, also British railways while there was a good demand for leading oils. Foreign bonds generally ruled quiet with some inquiry for German issues, while international dollar stocks were selectively supported.—Reuter.

W. P. B. Removes Restrictions On Silver

NEW YORK, May 28.

The Wall Street Journal states that the amount of domestic silver which will flow in civilian manufacture as a result of the War Production Board action removing all restrictions will depend largely on two important factors namely whether the United States Treasury will sell freely from accumulated stocks and the ability of manufacturers to secure the scarce and restricted nickel and copper.

The silver authorities stated there were two classes of silver from domestic sources—newly mined which is not too plentiful and silver owned by the Treasury and released to manufacturers—with both priced for sale at about 71 cents an ounce, and the authorities assert that if any large supply is to be received, it will have to come from the treasury stocks.

If the United States Government is liberal in its offerings, fairsized increase is seen in the manufacture of sterling silver articles which are composed of 92.1/2 per cent silver and 7-1/2 per cent copper but it will depend on the ability to get more copper.

With respect to silver late products—the big volume items in the industry—the base for such plating is nickel silver which is composed roughly of 8 per cent nickel and 70 per cent copper plus other metals.

Nickel is still scarce and on the restricted list as well as copper although the supply of the latter appears to be easing with the Government stockpile aggregate after several months sharp declines. However some in the industry feel that it might be possible to use a substitute base which would answer the purpose at least temporarily.

Until now makers of civilian silver products limited 50 per cent use of silver 1941 or 1942 whichever was greater.—Reuter.

Madras Share Bazar

MADRAS, May 29.

Following are to-day's quotations:—

SUGAR AND BREWERIES: E. I. D. 41, India Sugar 32, Jeypore 17/14, Mysore Sugar 58/4, Breweries 170.

PLANTINGS: Baimadies 1/8/6 Blue Mts. 1/6/6, Cochin Malabar 17/9, Chembra Peaks 10/1, Devon 17, Devashola 13, Fringfords 17/4 High Produce 29/6, Mana Ur 6, Midland 12/2 Nilliampathy 1/6/6, Nellithanam 14, Peermade 47/4, Pullangodes 3/1/6, Thirumbadi 4/2/6, Valkundam 20 Vallamalai 30/12.

TEXTILES: Bangalore Wol 480, B. and C Ordy. 325, Cambodia 25/2, Coimbatore Murugan 193/8, Combatore Pioneer 330 Dhanalaxmi 330, Kothari Tex 30/8, Lakshmi 158, Lakshmi New Ip Mettur 252/8, Madura 68/4, Pankaja 262 Rajalakshmi 175, Radhakrishna 340, N. Rangavilas 148/8, Vasantha 295.

MISCELLANEOUS: And. Cement 123, E and P. U. T. 38, Ind. St. Roll 9/14, Chem and Fert 23/2, Mysore Chem. Mfrs. 20/4, Mettur Chem. 15/12, Do Defd. 6/4 Singareni 20, Spencer 14/2—A P.

Treasury Officials Study Removal Of Silver Restrictions

WASHINGTON, May 28 (Reuter): Treasury officials are still studying the W. P. B. removal of domestic silver restriction.

Under the Green Bill the treasury is permitted to sell silver only for essential war use as determined by the W. P. B. it is believed that the W. P. B. could not certify manufactures of civilian goods under this law. However the Treasury is only required to buy domestic silver when the price is below the support price. It is now above the support price and if civilian manufacturers are willing to pay for silver they can buy it on the market.

INDUSTRIALS AND RAILS LEAD UPWARD MOVE IN WALL STREET

Largest Turnover For Month

NEW YORK, May 28.

Wall Street opened firm and moderately active and continued to reach for the eight year average high levels with rails steels and motors in the forefront. The outlook for peace time business and the pressure of idle investment funds remained as the principal buying inspiration. Hope for tax relief rising reconversion difficulties propped sentiment and gains up to one point were in the majority at mid-day. Prices wavered in the afternoon but soon resumed the climb under the continued leadership of industrials and rails. The turnover was one of the largest for the month. Gains up to two points or more were shaded towards the close as a result of profit-taking but the session closed firm:—

American Telephone 167-7/8 (167-1/2) Amerex Corporation 31-1/8 (31-3/8), Anaconda Copper 35-1/4 (34-1/4), Chase National Bank 43-1/4 (43-1/2), Consolidated Oil 16-1/4 (16-1/8), Firestone Tyre and Rubber 61-3/4 (61-3/8), General Electric Company 44 (43-5/8), General Motors 68-3/8 (68) Ingersol Rand 117 (118), International Nickel 35-5/8 (34-3/4), National City Bank of New York 44-5/8 (44-3/4), New York Central Rail 28-7/8 (28-3/8), Socony Vacuum Corporation 16 (16-1/4), Texas Corporation 53-1/8 (52-7/8), Union Carbon and Carbide 92 (91-1/2), U. S. Smelting Refing 66 (65-1/2) U. S. Steel Corporation 67-3/4 (67), Western Union Telegraph 50 (49-1/4).

Chicago Grains Reach New High Levels For Season

CHICAGO, May 28.

Chicago grains reached new high levels for the season attributed to increasing talk of higher wheat ceilings and heavy Government wheat and flour requirements for shipment abroad. The strength of cash markets and light country maize offerings resulting largely from adverse weather and labour shortages were also helpful.

May: 1.68 to 1.67-7/8 (1.66-3/4 to 1.66-1/2). July: 1.63-3/4 to 1.63-5/8 (1.62-1/2 to 1.62-3/8). Sept.: 1.63-1/4 to 1.63-1/4 (1.61-3/4 to 1.61-3/4).—Reuter.

N. Y. Bank Stocks

NEW YORK, May 28, (U. P. A.): There was little change in prices of shares in major New York City Banks in to-day's over-the-counter trading.

Closing prices for shares in National City Bank of New York closed at 44 3/4 bid 46 3/4 asked which were the same as previous closings.

Sales Of Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. Two Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday, the 29th May. Total amount offered was Rs. 7,38,00,000—(Rupees seven crores thirty-eight lakhs only) Tenders at Rs. 99-14-6 were allotted approximately 12 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. Two Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Re. 0.6-0 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Two Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 5th June, in Bombay upto 11 a.m. (Standard Time) and upto the close of business on Monday the 4th June at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 8th June. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 25th May, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs 2,31,25,000—(Rupees two crores thirty-one lakhs twenty-five thousand only) were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, May 28

LONDON: Banks buying 90 days/st 1/6 7/32 1 and 2 months

LONDON: Banks buying 90 days/st 1/6 1/4 3 to 6 months.

B C Rates: T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16

Banks selling T T 1/5 31/32 D D 1/5 31/32

Banks buying H T 1/5 1/32 D D 1/6 3/32

LDN/NEW YORK:

Banks selling T T Rs 332 1/4 D D Rs 332 3/4

Banks buying T T Rs 329 1/2 D D Rs 327 1/2

LDN/MONTREAL:

Banks selling T T Rs 302 1/2 D D Rs 302 1/2

Banks buying T T Rs 297 3/4 D D Rs 295 3/4

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A fervent appeal to the members of his community to unite and place the country's cause in the forefront was made by Sri. Muthuswami Vallatharasu, a prominent leader of the Mukulathar community in South India, in his presidential address at the first anniversary of the South Indian Marvar Mahajana Samajam of Bombay, held at the South Indian Education Society School Hall, Matunga, on Sunday last.

Speaking on the political situation, Mr. Vallatharasu said that the arguments put forward by the communists that freedom could be achieved only after a Congress-League settlement, were ill-reasoned and he asserted that the country's freedom should precede all other settlements. Criticising the Sapru Committee's proposals, he stated that, while people who could really deliver the goods were still lingering behind prison-bars, solutions from Saprus, Sastris and Alladis would not satisfy the Indian masses.

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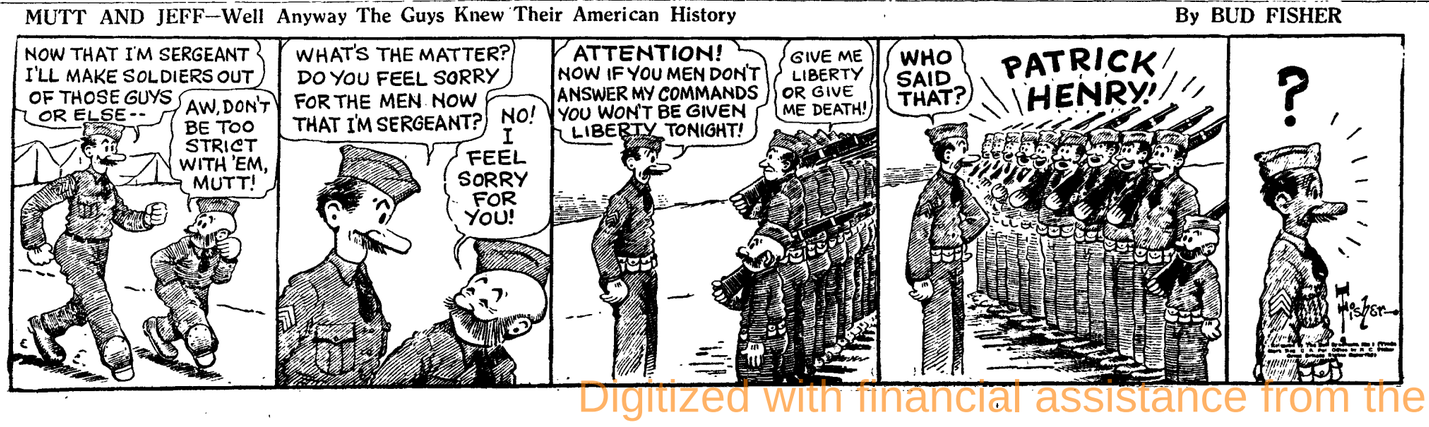
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PUBLIC NOTICES

DECLARATION OF CLOTH STOCKS ORDER

Finance Department (Supply).
Bombay Castle, 11th May, 1945

No. C. R. 39—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Government of Bombay is pleased to order that—

(a) every dealer other than a dealer who purchases cloth direct from a manufacturer in accordance with the provisions of clause 18A of the Cotton Cloth and Yarn (Control) Order, 1943;
(b) every person carrying on the business of printing or dyeing of cloth;
(c) every person carrying on the business of tailoring;
(d) every person dealing in ready-made clothes and
(e) every person dealing in articles in the making of which cloth is used, including such articles as caps and mattresses—

shall furnish to the Provincial Textile Controller, Bombay, on the 17th day of May and 31st day of May 1945 in the form in Schedule I hereto appended, a full and correct statement of the stocks of mill-made cotton cloth of the varieties specified in Schedule II hereto appended held by him in the City of Bombay and the Bombay Suburban District on the 15th day of May and 29th day of May, 1945 respectively, whether on his own account or on account of, or in partnership with any other person:

Provided that nothing herein contained shall apply to any stocks of such mill-made cotton cloth held by—

(i) any person referred to in sub-clauses (b), (c), (d) and (e) above, on behalf of his customer, or
(ii) any person referred to in sub-clauses (c), (d) and (e) above, if the aggregate quantity of such stock held by him does not exceed 50 yards.

EXPLANATION:—For the purposes of this Order the expression "dealer" means a person carrying on the business, whether as principal or agent, of buying or selling whether wholesale or retail or storing for sale cloth, whether or not in conjunction with any other business, and includes a hawker but not a manufacturer.

SCHEDULE I
FORM

1. Full name of the person (or firm, company or shop).
2. Full address of the place of business and in the case of a hawker full residential address.
3. Whether the person is a dealer in cloth or carries on the business of printing, or of dyeing cloth, or of tailoring or of dealing in ready-made clothes, or of dealing in articles made of cloth, such as caps, matresses, etc.
4. The exact location of the godown or godowns or any other place or places where the stocks are kept.
5. Particulars of the stocks held on

STOCKS IN BALES

Varieties.	No. of bales.	Equivalent quantity in yards.	Stocks in pieces or cut pieces in yards.	Total stocks. Total of B and C.
		A	B	C	D
1. Dhoties.				
2. Sarees.				
3. Mulls } Whether plain				
4. Dorias } or printed or				
5. Voiles } processed				
6. Coatings.				
7. Shirtings other than grey shirtings—				
(a) Long cloth.				
(b) Others.				

Place.

Date.

NOTE—
1. Stocks held—
(a) on his own acccunt,
(b) on account of any other person, and
(c) in partnership with any other person should be shown separately and the full names and addresses of persons on acccunt of whom and in partnership with whom stocks are held should be mentioned.
2. Stocks of imported mill-made cotton cloth should be shown separately.

SCHEDULE II.

Varieties of mill-made cotton cloth.
1. Dhoties.
2. Sarees.
3. Mulls. } Whether plain or
4. Dorias. } printed or
5. Voiles. } processed.
6. Coatings.
7. Shirtings other than grey shirtings—
(a) Long Cloth.
(b) Others.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,
A. D. GORWALA,
Secretary to Government.

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IN BASIC SOLUTION OF CLOTH FAMINE.

Oriental Cotton Cultivation & Mills Ltd.

Regd. Office:—162, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.

Cotton Garden:— Estd. 1943 Mills Site.
Tripura Cotton Estate. GARIA,
Tipperah. 24 Parganas.

DIVIDEND
PAID
1943 ..... 10%
1944 ..... 15%

Shares Still Available at Par

WANTED AGENTS FOR SALE OF SHARES

Particulars on request:—

Managing Director,
Mr. D. GANGULY, M.A.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY

Office of the Controller of Supplies (Disposals),
Strand House, Graham Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.

AUCTION NOTICE

A PUBLIC AUCTION SALE will be held at the D.G.M.P. Salvage Depot, C/o Messrs. Adamji Lookmanji & Co.'s Yard, DeLisle Road, Bombay, on Friday the 1st of June, 1945, at 11 A.M. for the disposal of Mine Anti-Tank Components and other materials. The materials to be auctioned can be inspected at site by previous arrangement with the stock-holder. Further details can be had from Messrs. Gandhi & Co., Government Auctioneers, 72, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay. (3420)

G.I.P. RAILWAY—TENDER

THE CONTROLLER OF STORES invites tenders for the purchase of Old & Unserviceable Stores. Forms obtainable from Stores Head Office, Gipstore Lane, Lower Parel, Bombay No. 13, at Rs. 2/- per copy, not refundable. Money Order or cash only. Closing date 11th June, 1945, at 3 p.m. (N.S.T.) 3411

NOTICE.

OFFERS ARE INVITED by the undersigned for purchase of a vacant plot land (made up of small plots) situated at Kirol (Ghatkopar) admeasuring about 29,411 square yards.

Dated this 24th day of May, 1945.

AMBUBHAI AND DIWANJI,
Solicitors.
Lentin Chambers,
Dalal Street, BOMBAY. (3381)

PUBLIC NOTICES

KAISER-I-HIND Insurance Company, Limited.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ELEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Registered Office at Sassoon Building, 141, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Military Square Lane Fort, Bombay, on FRIDAY, the 22nd day of June, 1945, at 4 P.M. (S.T.)

(1) To receive and adopt Directors' Report and audited accounts for the year ended 31st December 1944.
(2) To elect Directors in place of those retiring by rotation but who are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.
(3) To elect Director who holds office until the next following Ordinary General Meeting under Article 86 of the Articles of Association of the Company.
(4) To appoint Auditors for the current year and fix their remuneration.
(5) To consent to the appointment of the firm of M/s. Himatlal Laxmichand Ltd. in which firm one of our directors is interested as a director as our chief agents for fire and miscellaneous insurance dept.
(6) To Transact any other business which may be brought before the Meeting by the Chairman.

By order of the Board of Directors
R. J. SUTARIA,
General Manager.

Bombay, 24th May 1945.

Notice is also given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 5th June, 1945 to 23rd June, 1945, both days inclusive. 3451

BOMBAY PORT TRUST ASSISTANT ELECTRICAL FOREMAN.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Assistant Electrical Foreman.

Applicants must possess a degree in Electrical Engineering and minimum practical experience of eight years including Radio Engineering.

Applicants should not be more than 35 years of age.

The pay of the post is Rs. 250-15-325 plus free unfurnished quarters and war allowance at 10% of pay. The selected candidate will be on probation for a period of 6 months and will be confirmed on the permanent staff if found satisfactory after that period. He will be required to produce a certificate of physical fitness from the Bombay Port Trust Chief Medical Officer. The post is subject to the usual leave and Provident Fund Rules of the Bombay Port Trust as amended from time to time.

Applications giving age and full particulars of qualifications and experience with certificates must reach this office not later than 15th June 1945, and should be addressed to the undersigned ONLY and endorsed "APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT ELECTRICAL FOREMAN".

Any attempt to bring personal influence to bear upon the members of the Board of Trustees will disqualify the candidate concerned.

"Sanction Bombay E-Ex. No. 22."
G. E. TERREY,
M. Inst., C.E.,
Chief Engineer.

Ballard Road,
Fort, Bombay. 3384

NOTIFICATION

SEALED QUOTATIONS ARE INVITED from individuals and Firms for the purchase of Tapioca Starch stocked by the Government of Travancore in their starch depots at Trivandrum, Kottarakara, Changanacherry and Perumbavoor. The quotations should be addressed to the Controller of Tapioca Starch, Trivandrum, Travancore and should reach him on or before the 15th June 1945.

Details re: the quality of starch and the conditions of sale are noted below:—

(1) The starch is prepared from fresh Tapioca by the wet process. It is subjected to vigorous tests at the Central Research Institute and certified by the Public Analyst to the Government of Travancore, before purchase at the Depots. It is in the form of milk white fine powder and is stocked in bags of 2 Cwts. Samples can be had from this office on requisition.
(2) About 600 tons per month will be available for sale from the beginning of July 1945.
(3) The price quoted should be Ex-godown.
(4) The article will be delivered only on cash payment.
(5) The successful bidder must execute an agreement at his own cost for the satisfactory fulfilment of the contract, if so required.

Further details can be had from the Office.

P. A. KASIM,
Controller of Tapioca Starch,
Trivandrum, Travancore. 3458

NOTICE

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, Bombay, will be completing its 25 years and requests all Past Students to send early information to the Principal regarding their years at the Institute present profession and address.

Information regarding other past students of the Institute known to them will also be welcome.

G. R. PARANJPE,
Principal,
Royal Institute of Science,
Bombay. 3455

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, CITY OF BOMBAY
APPOINTMENT OF DEAN

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Dean, K.E.M. Hospital and Seth G. S. Medical College, Bombay, on a pay of Rs. 1,750-50-2,000 per mensem, without the right of private practice. The period of appointment is 3 years. The applicant should be a native of the Province of Bombay, or should have his domicile in the Province of Bombay or in an Indian State, lying within the geographical limits of the Province of Bombay, at the time of appointment, and he must possess a medical degree, registrable under the Bombay Medical Act VI of 1912. He must in addition, (i) have a post-graduate degree or diploma in general medicine, general surgery or obstetrics and gynaecology from one of the Statutory Indian or British Universities or Royal Colleges, (ii) be of at least 10 years standing in the profession, and (iii) have teaching experience, as a professor or lecturer, or administrative experience of at least five years' duration in a medical institution, affiliated to a Statutory Indian University.

Quarters have been provided for the Dean near the K. E. M. Hospital and Seth G. S. M. College. Rent will have to be paid for these quarters, as may be fixed in accordance with Municipal Service Regulations.

The post is amenable to the Municipal Service Regulations, and to the revised Leave Regulations, as at present in force or as may be amended from time to time hereafter, as regards pay, allowances, leave, etc., and the incumbent will be entitled to the benefits of the Provident Fund under the Municipal Provident Fund Regulations in force from time to time.

Applications, stating age, nationality, qualifications, previous experience etc., and accompanied by copies of testimonials and certificates of age and physical fitness, should be made on prescribed forms, (to be obtained from the Municipal Commissioner's office on payment of annas eight,) so as to reach the Municipal Commissioner on or before 30th June, 1945.

Persons in Municipal service are eligible to apply.

Any canvassing, directly or indirectly, will disqualify the applicant.

U. M. MIRCHANDANI,
Municipal Commissioner.
Municipal Office, Fort,
Bombay, 23rd May, 1945. 3347

GRAPHITE

For Mills, Workshops, and Foundries, and for manufacturers of Paints, Grease, Lubricants. Pencils, Electrodes, Crucibles, etc Soft and hard varieties in lumps, flakes and powder form available.

Want to appoint STOCKISTS in prominent cities all over India.

Apply to the sole representatives of the Mines:—

ASIAN TEXTILE ENGINEERING CORP.,
Kermani Building,
Sir Phirozshah Mehta Road,
Fort, BOMBAY.
Tele.: ATECO. Tele.: 23333
(3452)

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION

Citation

GEORGE VI, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration to the Estate of VALLABHDAS KALLIANJI of Bombay, Bhatia Hindu inhabitant, residing at Bhatia Mahajan Wadi, Kalbadevi, Bombay .. Deceased.

The Administrator General of Bombay. ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir LEONARD STONE, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and Forty-five and in the Ninth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

K. K. DASTUR,
for Prothonotary & Senior Master.

The 16th day of May, 1945.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BOMBAY IN PERSON
Petitioner. 3450

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held in the CENTRAL BANK BUILDING, 3rd Floor, (Dean Lane Entrance), Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, on THURSDAY the 28th June 1945, at 4-30 P.M. (new S.T.)

(1) To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1944.
(2) To declare a Dividend.
(3) To elect three Directors in place of Mr. J. R. D. Tata, Mr. A. D. Shroff and Mr. Mahomed S. Mitha, who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election and offer themselves accordingly.
(4) To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st day of June to the 29th day of June 1945 (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board,
W. MILLARD,
General Manager.

Bombay, 11th May, 1945.

N.B.—The Dividend when sanctioned at the General Meeting will be payable at the Registered Office of the Company, Central Bank Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, on and after the 9th July 1945 to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Company's Register on the 31st May, 1945.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS should be notified to the Company without delay. 3447

HYDERABAD SIND MUNICIPALITY

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Municipal Engineer in the grade of 300-20-500 plus conveyance allowance and dearness allowance as per municipal rules. The appointment will be subject to Provident Fund and leave rules in force and as amended from time to time. The minimum qualification will be a degree in Civil Engineering from either a British or Indian University. Preference will be given to a candidate with experience in Municipal engineering works such as water works, drainage, roads and buildings and prior administrative experience in a responsible capacity.

Higher starting salary may be given by the Municipality to a suitable candidate. The appointment will be on probation for 12 months in the first instance.

Candidates to state their age place of birth and send their applications along with testimonials so as to reach the undersigned not later than 25th June 1945.

DINGOMAL HUKUMATRAI,
President,
Hyderabad Sind Municipality. 3451

CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Hindu and Muslim Candidates for filling up the temporary posts of (i) Senior Draftsman (ii) IIIrd Grade Draftsman in the Circle Office at Calcutta with the Scales of pay (i) Rs. 150-6-180-10-250 (ii) Rs. 40-5-2-90.

The minimum qualifications prescribed for the posts are (i) Upper Subordinate from any recognised institution or Diploma in Architecture from Sir J. J. School of Arts Bombay (ii) Qualified Sub-Overseer from any recognised institution or Draftsman qualification from Govt. institution. Preference will be given to Candidates with higher qualifications or previous experience.

The applications should reach the undersigned by the 9th of June, 1945.

(Sd.) N. G. DEWAN,
Superintending Engineer,
Eastern Aviation Circle,
15,1, Chowringhee Square,
CALCUTTA. 3460

NOTICE

By GOVERNMENT ORDER, No. 9257,24(a), dated 22nd May 1945, the Government of Bombay has cancelled the Bombay Cattle, Goats, and Sheep Trade licensing Order, 1944 and in its stead Government has fixed the number of she-buffaloes, cows, bulls, bullocks, sheep and goats, may be slaughtered every week at the licensed slaughter houses specified therein (Government Order, No. 9257,24(b), dated 22nd May 1945).

Government Order, No. 9257 24, dated 22nd May 1945, which amends Government Order, No. 9257 24, dated 9th January 1945, removes the prohibition on the slaughter of male buffaloes and makes the order applicable to the acquisition for slaughter or slaughter of female buffaloes in the slaughter houses at Ahmedabad and Malegaon.

E. W. PERRY,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Reconstruction Department. 3464

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